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N. B.—The numbers in the "Reference" column indicate the pages of the Proceedings of the Calcutta Committee of Revenue, i.e., of the manuscript volumes which have been paginated by one complete year.

2. "Con." or "Consultation" indicates the meetings or sittings of the Committee.

3. "B. S." represents "Body Sheets." These have been shown continuously paginated in the "Reference" column. Where these are missing, the fact is noted in the "Remarks" column.

4. "O. C." represents "Original Consultations" or documents kept in bundles. These have been shown with the number given on them, in the "Reference" column. Where missing, the fact is noted in the "Remarks" column.

5. "App." represents "Appendices" to the Proceedings.

6. Unless otherwise shown the documents are embodied in the Proceedings.

**1780**

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jan. 3 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	1-30	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Dec. 31, 1779	Petition from Baidyanath Ray, Vakil of Sri-kanta Ray, Zamindar of Jessore, requesting that Madan Datta may be directed to pay Rs. 23,400 to the Zamindar on account of the katkins of Raymangal for 1185 B. S.	1	
[Jan. 3 <sup>2</sup> Fort William.]	Minute of the President that a talabchitthi be issued to Madan Datta to pay up the afore-said demand	2	
Dec. 31, 1779 Govt. Custom House, Cal- cutta.	Letter from H. Scott, Deputy Collector of Government Customs in Calcutta, pointing out the impropriety of granting a dastak to the Zamindar of Walamutha for 93,000 maunds of salt produced in parganas Balahy and Bagri and enquiring whether salt revenue is realised from Bagri.	2-4	
Dec. 28, 1779 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, intimating that a duty of Sicca Rs. 30 per 100 maunds of imported karkach or coast salt will be imposed with effect from 1 March 1780.	5	
Nil	Statement by the raiyats of pargana Khaepur citing instances of illegal exactions and other oppressions by the Farmer, with the answers of the Farmer to these allegations and the orders of the Committee.	5-9	
[Jan. 3 Fort William.]	Resolution of the Committee that J. Cator be asked to act as Superintendent of the Diwan Adalat.	10	

<sup>1</sup>The Provincial Council of Revenue at Calcutta, otherwise known as the Calcutta Committee of Revenue, consisted of D. Anderson as President, J. Shore, H. Richardson, J. Evelyn, J. Cator, and T. Law as Members. Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jan. 3 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	1-30	
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[Jan. 3 Fort William.]	Letter to the Supreme Board, intimating the circumstances leading to the sequestration of the salt of Ramlochan Palit, Katkinadar of the salt farm of the 24-Parganas, and soliciting orders to sell the salt for liquidation of revenue due from him.	12-15	
Nil	Report of the Diwan recommending that a dastak may be issued for imprisoning Ramlochan Palit as he, being the katkinadar, is responsible for the balances of revenue due from Santosh Ray, Zamindar of Magura.	15	
Jan. 3 Calcutta.	Petition from Madan Datta, Salt Farmer of Jessore, complaining that the Zamindar of Jessore has violated the conditions relating to the salt farms and praying for the adjustment of the accounts of their mutual liabilities.	16-19	
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[Jan. 3 Fort William.]	Letter to the Supreme Board, stating conditions for grant of pattas to J. Prinsep for some lands at Bhatpara for cultivation and manufacture of Indigo.	25-8	
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[Jan. 3 Fort William.]	Resolution of the Committee that talab-chitthis should be issued to Zamindars in arrears for the kist of Paush 1186 B. S. for immediate payment of their dues.	29	
Nil	Petition from Mir Jitu, requesting a fresh patta for 13 kathas of land held by him as the original is lost.	30	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jan. 6 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	31-69	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Jan. 3 Fort William.	Letter from C. Croftes, Accountant-General to R.A. Dept. enclosing copy of a letter and some minutes of the Supreme Board and requesting to be furnished with certain accounts drawn up in the new form.	31-2	
Dec. 31 Acct. Genl's Office, Fort William.	Letter from W. Larkins, Accountant-General to General Dept., to C. Croftes, Accountant-General to the Rev. Dep., enclosing certain minutes of the Supreme Board and copy of a letter, and requesting that the instructions regarding the drawing up and submission of monthly treasury accounts may be communicated to the Provincial Councils and Collectors of Revenue for their future guidance.	32-5	
Dec. 27, 1779 [Fort William]	Minutes of the Supreme Board, giving directions to the Accountant-General in the matter of submission of monthly estimates of the resources and disbursements of Government on the first Monday of every month.	35-7	
Jan. 19, 1779 Council Chamber.	Letter from W. Bruere, Assistant Secretary to the Supreme Board, to W. Larkins, Accountant-General to General Dept., issuing instructions about submission of monthly returns of the resources and disbursements of Government to the Supreme Board and their subsequent despatch to the Court of Directors.	37-8	
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Jan. 4 Fort William.	Letter from R. Stewart, Superintendent of the Powder Works, representing about the difficulties in collecting firewood and charcoal for the Powder Works.	41-2	
[Jan. 6 Fort William.]	Report of the Secretary [J. Perring], regarding grant of patta to [C.] Keating for some garden lands at Belieghata and Entally	43-4	
Jan. 3	Minute of J. Cator, Member, declining the office of the Superintendent of the Diwani Adalat.	44	
Jan. 4 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, directing that the increased duty on salt imported in native vessels should be extended to all foreign salt, that the price of the Company's salt should be raised and that the salt mahals should be retained unless the Zamindars pay up the balances of revenue due from them.	45-7	

<sup>1</sup>Naib Diwan attends.



Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jan. 6 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	31-69	
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Jan. 6 [Fort William.]	Letter to the Supreme Board, intimating the measures adopted for realisation of arrears of revenue due from the Zamindars of the 24-Parganas and for the settlement of the salt mahals of that district.	51-2	
Nil	Report of Nim Narayan Mitra, Jarib Amin, on the claim of Mayaram to a plot of land in Dhurruntolla.	53	
Nil	Copy of account submitted by Vakil of Bishnu-charan, Zamindar of nine-anna division of Muhammad Aminpur, showing the instalments of revenue paid to the Committee.	54-5	
Nil	Report from the Diwan regarding balances of revenue due from the mahals of Sarfarazpur, Amirpur, etc., with his suggestions for realisation of the same.	56-8	
Nil	Petition from Bijayram Banarji, inhabitant of Hajipur [and Talukdar of Basudebpur], complaining against Srikantha Ray, Zamindar of twelve-anna division of Jessore, for forcibly taking possession of 450 bighas of land and exacting money from the raiyats and praying for relief.	58-9	
Nil	Petition from the raiyats of Pichakuli, complaining of the illegal exactions by the katkinadar and praying for redress.	59-62	
Nil	Petition from Lucy Bibi, praying for pattas for certain lands in dihi Calcutta purchased by her.	63-4	
Nil	Petition from Kalisankar, Zamindar of Maidanmal, requesting that a dastak with peons may be sent to Jaynarayan Ghoshal, administrator to the estate of late Gokul Ghoshal, to enforce payment of the amount decreed to him by the Committee and that Ajodhyaram and Moramat Mandal, farmers of the local salt mahals, may also be compelled to pay the monies due to him.	65-7	
Jan. 6 Calcutta	Letter from D. Campbell, intimating that he has sold a part of his land to Mr. Higgins and praying that a new patta may be granted to him for the remaining land.	67-8	70 blank.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jan. 7 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	71-88	B.S. and O. C.'s missing.
Jan. 7 [Fort William.]	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting a chalan of Rs 1,50,000 on account of the collections of the Calcutta division.	71	
[Jan. 7 Fort William.]	Report of the President, regarding an amin for accompanying Lt. Robinson for making a survey of the 24 Parganas to demarcate the boundaries of the different zamindars, giving his suggestions about the establishment required by the said amin and the issue of instructions to the local Zamindars to render necessary assistance in the matter.	72-3	
Nil	Letter from the Faujdar of Hooghly, stating the action taken by him against Krishnaprasad Chaudhuri on the complaints of Haraprasad and Bhudharprasad Chaudhuri, inhabitants of Chandernagore, and enclosing a letter.	73-4	
Nil	Letter from Mr. Bretel, French Zamindar of Chandernagore, to the Faujdar of Hooghly, denying the allegations made against him by Haraprasad and Bhudharprasad Chaudhuri and explaining the impropriety of attaching the taluks of Krishnaprasad Chaudhuri.	74-6	
Nil	Petition from Krishnaprasad Chaudhuri, inhabitant of Chandernagore, complaining that the Faujdar of Hooghly has illegally attached his taluk, garden and debottar properties in Chandernagore and praying for an enquiry into the matter.	76-7	
[Jan. 7 Fort William.]	Deposition of Basanta Ray, Diwan of the Faujdar of Hooghly, on the jurisdiction of the Faujdar in trying cases where the parties or the article in dispute belonged to Chandernagore.	77-8	
Jan. 7 [Fort William.]	Letter to L. Collings (Collector of Hooghly), transmitting with remarks the papers in connection with the above dispute and directing him to ask Mr. Bretel, the French Zamindar of Chandernagore, not to interfere with the Faujdar of Hooghly in his investigation of the case so far as it may relate to lands situated in Chatra or outside the French boundaries.	79-81	
Nil	Report of the Naib Diwan, suggesting the measures that should be taken to attach salt belonging to Ramlochan Palit, Katkinadar of the salt mahals of the 24 Parganas.	81-2	
Nil	Estimate of expenses submitted by the Naib Diwan for peons necessary to attach the salt of Ramlochan Palit at different places.	82-3	

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Jan. 7 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	71-88	
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Jan. 10 - Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	89-105	B.S. and O.C.'s missing.
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Nil	Purport of a petition from the Wakil of Fatima Begum, complaining that his constituent has been dispossessed of a garden, a hat and some lands by Muhammad Nasir and praying that her properties may be restored to her.	89-90	
Nil	Report from the Diwan that the Farmer of Beliaghata, accused of levying illegal duties on wood, has disobeyed the orders of the Committee to release wood belonging to Ramhari Thakur and Ramjay Bhowas.	91-2	
[Jan. 10 Fort William.]	Examination of Ramlochan Ghosh about payment of mushaharas to the mother and the widow of Radhanath Ray, late Zamindar of Muhammad Aminpur, by Bishnu-charan, the present Zamindar.	93-4	
[Jan. 10 Fort William.]	Examination of Safai Ram Pal in the above connection.	94-5	
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[Jan. 10 Fort William.]	Examination of the Wakil of the mother and the widow of Radhanath Ray, late Zamindar of Muhammad Aminpur, about payment of mushaharas to his constituents.	95-7	

U. Shore indisposed. Naib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jan. 10 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	89-105	
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Nil	Purport of a petition from Messrs. Hellyar and Burrell, administrators to the estate of J. Notley, deceased, applying for a new patta for a garden in Ballygunge Road as the old patta is lost.	104-5	
Jan. 13 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	106-46	B. S. and O.C.'s missing.
Jan. 11 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, sanctioning the grant of a patta to Capt. J. Price for a plot of land as a reward for the services rendered by him.	106	
Nil	Petition from Nidhiram Lashkar and other rayats of dihi Ekdalia, taraf Dhara, etc., under Calcutta pargana complaining of the illegal exactions of the farmers.	107-9	
* Nil	Report from the Diwan on the right of the Farmer of Beliaghata to collect duties on firewood at the ghat of Bamaughata.	109-10	

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Jan. 13 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	106-46	
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Nil	Petition from the talukdars in the zamindari of Nursingh Deo in the 24 Parganas, requesting that the Zamindar may be directed to restore their taluks and to accept revenue from them.	115-16	
Nil	Translation of a petition from the vakil of Nursingh Deo, Talukdar of Khodenda, complaining that the Iparadar of Azimganj and the Chaukidar of Paonai Ghat are unlawfully collecting Sair Chalanta from the hyaparis coming to his market.	116-17	
Nil	Petition from the Vakil of Nursingh Deo, Farmer of Barighati, etc., requesting orders about pulbandi remissions, punya bando-bast, settlement of the dispute over village Golpukuria and the hat there, and farming of the salt mahals and representing about the misappropriation of some of his lands by Ramlochan Munshi, Talukdar of eight-anna division of Gara and other raiyats.	117-19	
Nil	Petition from the raiyats of Charfuk in dihi Hatingarh under Calcutta pargana, complaining of the exorbitant and illegal demands of their Farmer, Iswar Chandra Ray.	120-1	
[Jan. 13 Fort William.]	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting a chalan of one lakh of rupees on account of the collections of the Calcutta Division.	123	
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Nil	Petition* from Ebad-ullah Khan, Zamindar of Ambarabad (Amirabad), complaining of the depredations accompanied with murder committed by Nasiruddin Haider, Faujdar of Lakshimpur, and enclosing a surat-i-hal.	126-9	*Similar petition from Khair-un-nissa, another Zamindar of Amirabad.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jan. 13 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	106-46	
Nil	Surat-i-hal submitted by Farhad-ullah, Naib Qazi, and Kaliprasad, Kanungo of pargana Argharabad (Amirabad), corroborating the statements in the above petition.	129-33	
Nil	Letter from Paran Basu, Malzamin of Mahmudshahi, representing how the sadar and mufassal officers of the pargana are preventing him from remitting the revenue and asking for some coolies for transport of the treasure.	133-4	
Nil	Similar letter from Shaikh Sonaulah, Amildar of Mahmudshahi pargana.	134-5	
22 Baisakh 1185 B.S.	List of sanads and other documents submitted by J. Pedro in support of his claim to the jagir of Digra, etc.	136-42	
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Nil	Sanad granting a jagir of mauzas Digra, Gauragabati, etc., to J. Jehzep, son of A. Jehzep.	139-40	
Nil	Letter from Rupram, Naib of Hiji, intimating that Banewar Ghosh, thikadar of Salt of Chakla Hiji, is awaiting the release of salt which has been attached at the instance of Shaikh Babu and other thika ihtimardars.	143	
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Jan. 17 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	147-83	B. H. and O. C's missing.
Jan. 17 [Fort William.]	Letter to C. Croftes, Accountant-General to the Rev. Dep., transmitting with remarks the jama-wasil-haki accounts of the lands and the salt mahals under the Calcutta Division for 1179 to 1183 B.S. and enclosing an extract from the proceedings of the Calcutta Committee of Revenue.	148-9	
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J. Evelyn indisposed. Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jan. 17 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	147-83	
Jan. 14 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, directing to invite proposals for the farming of the salt mahals of the 24-Parganas for two years on condition that the extra duty on foreign salt will continue during the contract period.	150-1	
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Nil	Petition from Bhabani Charan Mukharji, Ramlochan Mukharji, Bholanath Mukharji and Ramjay Ganguli, inhabitants of pargana Balia, complaining of the unjust demands and oppressions by Parbaticharan, Katkinadar of their dihi.	157-8	
Nil	Petition from Ramlochan Palit, Katkinadar of the salt mahals of the 24-Parganas, undertaking to give two pats on account of revenue due from him and praying for the release of his salt under attachment.	158-9	
[Jan. 17 Fort William.]	Minute of D. Anderson, President recommending the above proposals of Ramlochan Palit.	159-61	Committee agree.
Nil	Report of the Diwan, recommending that an amin be appointed to investigate into the dispute among the proprietors of villages Dastara and Dhandania under Magra pargana and put each co-sharer in possession of his respective share.	161-3	
Jan. 15 Calcutta.	Letter from Mrs. M. Anthony, requesting a fresh patta for seven kathas of land in Calcutta purchased by her from W. Barton.	163-5	
Nil	Report from the Diwan, on the claims of Ramlochan Palit, Katkinadar of the zamindari mahals of the 24-Parganas, for deductions of revenue.	166-9	
Nil	Petition from Ramkanta Basu, Farmer of Mahmudshahi, complaining that the zamindar of the said pargana refuses to pay the malguzari according to the haat-o-bud and otherwise interferes with his rights, and praying for a proportionate adjustment of revenue.	169-71	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jan. 17 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	147-83	
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Nil	Petition from Gobind Sahib, Zamindar of the three-anna division of Mahmudshahi, stating that he has been dispossessed of taraf Maluapara by Jugal Fotadar, Dukari Fotadar and Bijayram Fotadar of Jhenda and praying for restoration of his lands.	173-5	
Nil	Petition from the Vakil of kiamat pargana Mahmudshahi that the Fotadars referred to above have seized taraf Maluapara under orders of the Supreme Court and praying that he may be allowed to continue in possession of the same pending decision of the matter by the Committee.	175-6	
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Dec. 30, 1780 [Nic.]	Certificate of the Protho Notary's office, regarding the above judgment.	178	
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Jan. 18 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	185-203	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
2 Magh, 1186 B. S.	Proposal from Ramhari Sen for farming the salt mahals of the 24-Parganas for five years.	185-6	
5 Magh, 1186 B. S.	Proposal from Sahib Ram Basu, for farming the same mahals for three years.	186-7	
Nil	Proposal from Uday Chand Das for farming the same mahals for five years.	187-9	
Nil	Another proposal without the name of the proposer for farming the same mahals.	189-92	
Nil	Proposal from Brajamohan Biswas, for farming the same mahals for two years.	192-5	

<sup>1</sup> J. Evelyn and J. Cator indisposed. Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.



Date and from.	Natures of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
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Jan. 19 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	205-10	B. S. and O.C.'s missing.
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Nil	Examination of the Diwan on the advisability of allowing farmers of lands to manufacture salt either themselves or by letting out their khadaris to others, provided that such salt will be subject to a tax of Rs. 40 per hundred maunds.	207-8	
Nil	Report of the Diwan, explaining why the Zamindars of Hiji are unable to pay their revenue and asking for instructions in the matter.	208-9	
Jan. 20 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	211-26	B.S. and O. C.'s missing.
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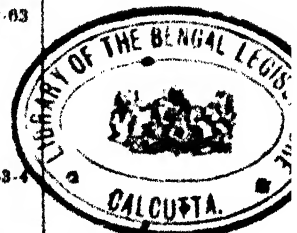
Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jan. 20 [Fort William].	Minutes of the Committee	211-26	
Nil	Petition from Shah Saif-ulla, Roshan Ali, Ghulam Ali, Shah Fazl, Ghulam Nabi and others, praying that the chaukidars of the sair of Shahbandar at Kalna, may be prohibited from demanding duties on salt received by them at Raymangal as alms for religious purposes.	214	
Nil	Petition from Raghunath Pal, Lashkari Pal, Tulsiram Das and other raiyats of Shahpur, Kantabere and other villages in Hooghly complaining that Keshiram Ghosh, Diwan of Mukunda Ray Mahashaya, Zamindar of the place, demands payment of the malguzari in cash instead of in kind and otherwise oppresses them and praying that the Zamindar may be ordered to accept revenue in kind as usual.	215-16	
[Jan. 20 Fort William.]	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting the proposals received for farming the salt mahals of the 24 Parganas, with the recommendation that the mahals be made khas as no suitable offer has been received.	216-20	
Nil	Petition from the raiyats of Calcutta, Anwarpur, Magura, etc., intimating their inability to pay the revenue due to destruction of crops by the rains and praying that Jagamohan Basak of Kamehandnagar cutcherry may be ordered not to realise the revenues till the end of the year.	221	
Nil	Petition from the raiyats of Calcutta, Anwarpur, etc., praying that Shukurullah Munshi of the cutcherry at Ghola may be similarly directed.	221-2	
Nil	Petition from Amuddin of pargana Balia, representing the circumstances under which the taluk of his deceased brother Muhammad Asghar was attached by Ebadullah Khan, Zamindar of pargana Ambarabad (Amirabad), on the complaint of one Wasel-ud-din and praying for relief.	222-4	
Nil	Petition from the wakil of the Zamindar of pargana Yusufpur, complaining that the gumasthas of Bijayram Banarji, Talukdar of 3 anna division of the said pargana, have unjustly acquired 1967 bighas of land in pargana Bazidpur belonging to his client and made illegal collections from the raiyats and praying for the appointment of an amun to investigate into the matter.	224-5	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jan. 24 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	227-37	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Nil	Proposals from Uday Charan Das for farming the salt mahals of the 24-Parganas for five years.	227-8	.
Nil	Proposals from Ramnarayan for farming the salt mahals of the 24-Parganas.	229-30	.
Jan. 26 Fort William.	Letter from C. Croftes, Accountant-General to the Rev. Dep., asking for an explanation of the outstanding balance of Sica Rs. 1,80,202-10-13-2 as shown in the jama-wasil baki account of the Calcutta Division for 1779.	230-1	.
Nil	Petition from the Vakil of the Zamindar of Saiyidpur, requesting that, as Brajanohan Brahmin, Farmer of taraf Magura, is not paying the revenue according to the kist-bandi, his malzamin Narahari Basak of Calcutta may be compelled to do so.	232-3	.
Nil	Petition from Jangal Lal, amin, deputed to put Sham Chaudhuri in possession of half share of Khaspur taluk, stating the reasons why he could not carry out the orders of the Committee.	233-4	.
[Jan. 24 Fort William.]	Report of J. Shore, Member, on a suit instituted in the Supreme Court by Ramkishor Tarafdar, against Lakshmiram Singh, the amin, deputed to investigate about patitabad lands in Mandannal, suggesting that the Company's Attorney may be directed to obtain a copy of the plaint so that the Committee may decide whether the suit should be defended.	234-6	.
Jan. 24 [Fort William.]	Letter to N. Naylor, Company's Attorney, requesting him to appear on behalf of Lakshmiram Singh, amin, in the above suit in the Supreme Court and to obtain a copy of the plaint for the information of the Committee.	237	238 blank.
Jan. 25 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	239-65	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Nil	Petition from Krishnananda Sarkar, stating how Krishna Kanta Babu and the Zamindar of High are obstructing the salt business and praying for the appointment of a proper person to divide the salt between the petitioner and Krishna Kanta Babu according to the previous orders of the Committee.	239-41	.

<sup>1</sup>D. Anderson, J. Shore, J. Evelyn, J. Cator, and the Secretary attend the Supreme Court. T. Law attends the Adalat. Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.

<sup>2</sup>H. Richardson, J. Evelyn and J. Cator indisposed. Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jan. 25 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	239-65	
Nil	Petition from the Vakil of Khair-un-nissa, Zamindar of 5 anna 6 ganda 2 kauri division of pargana Ambarabad, complaining of the oppressions of Ebadullah, her co-partner, and praying for redress.	241-3	
Nil	Petition from the Talukdars of Boro pargana, complaining that one Radhacharan Bhattacharj is forcibly exacting revenue already paid up by them to Bhargab Chandra Ghosh according to the orders of the Committee.	243-5	
Jan. 25 Fort William	Petition from Jagamohan Sen, Farmer of the khas mahals of the 24 Parganas, setting forth his claims in connection with the salt business against Rambohan Palit, Katkandhar of the zamindari mahals of the 24 Parganas, and suggesting measures for their adjustment.	246-51	
[Jan. 25 Fort William.]	Observations of the Committee in connection with the above dispute, between Jagamohan Sen, Farmer of the khas mahals of the 24 Parganas and Rambohan Palit, Katkandhar of the zamindari mahals of the 24 Parganas.	251-4	
Nil	Report of the Diwan discussing, in the same connection, the claims of Jagamohan Sen, Farmer of the khas mahals of the 24 Parganas.	254-5	
Nil	Petition from the Zamindars of Muhammad Aminpur, complaining that Hasanta Ray, Peshkar of the Faujdar of Hooghly, is oppressing their raiyats in various ways, that the Faujdar has established a new thana at Salkia and demands payment of their revenue at Hooghly instead of at the Sadar and enclosing a list of persons confined by the Faujdar.	256-9	
Nil	Petition from Prankrishna Basu, Malzamin of the Farmer of Mahmudshahi, complaining of the obstructions to collection of revenue and oppression of his officers by the Zamindar of the twelve-anna division of that pargana, enclosing a surat-i-hal and praying for relief.	259-63	
Nil	Surat-i-hal describing how the officers and people under the Zamindar of the twelve-anna division of Mahmudshahi pargana surrounded the cutcherry at Mahmudshahi belonging to Prankrishna Basu, the Malzamin.	263-4	



Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jan. 27 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	266-94	B. S. and O. C's missing.
Nil	Petition from Ramdulal, Zamindar of Khaspur, requesting that his dispute with Sham Ray for the said zamindari may be decided by the Committee and that the amin deputed to collect revenue may be recalled.	266-7	
Nil	Report from the Diwan, on the balances of revenue due from several taluks and parganas with his suggestions for realisation of the same.	269-70	
[Jan. 27 Fort William.]	Proceedings of the Committee in connection with measures adopted for realising arrears of revenue due from certain farmers and zamindars.	270-5	
Jan. 27 [Fort William]	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting the treasury account and account particulars of charges for Panch 1186 B.S.	275-6	
Nil	Purport of a petition from the Vakil of Jaynarayan Ghoshal, requesting that a purwana may be issued to Muhammad Riza Chaudhuri directing him to admit the sazawal on behalf of the petitioner in the district as usual.	276-7	
Nil	Petition from the Talukdars of Amrabad, representing their difficulty in paying their malguzari separately to the Zamindars as desired by them and praying that the zamindari may not be partitioned and that they may be allowed to pay the revenue collectively as heretofore.	277-8	
Nil	Petition from Khoshal Chand, Naib of Tamruk and Mahasadal, complaining how Rani Krishnapriya, Zamindar of nine-anna division of Tamruk, is interfering with Adalat affairs and deciding disputes herself at her house at Hansbora.	278-9	
Nil	Petition from Atmaram Datta, Talukdar of village Gaurdah, complaining of the high-handed acts of Ajodhyaram Chatarji, Amin, deputed to investigate into the complaints made by the Zamindar of Maidanmal pargana.	280-1	

W. Evelyn and J. Cator indisposed. Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jan. 27 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	286-94	
Nil	Petition from Krishna Singh Chaudhuri, Zargundar of six-anna division of Hogla pargana in Jessore, requesting that the parwana issued against him on the complaint of Lakshminarayan, Kishorram and Krishnaram Chaudhuri, Zamindars of the ten-anna division of the pargana, may be recalled so that the Committee may investigate the matter, that Jalka and Gaurgachhi mahals unlawfully usurped by Srikanta Ray, Zamindar of Jessore, may be restored to him and that his partner Hariram Chaudhuri may be directed to defray the expenses in connection with the arbitration proceedings for the partition of the zamindari.	281-3	
Nil	Complaints made by certain rayats of dihi Hatgachhi, under Calcutta pargana, against the illegal exactions by Ram Bapu employed by Lakshman Singh, Katkumdar, with the suggestions of the Diwan against each item.	284-7	
Nil	Report of the Diwan, on the collection of illegal taxes by the Faujdar of Chitpur and his officers.	287	
Jan. 27 [Fort William.]	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting the tauzi accounts of the Calcutta Division for Poush 1186 B. S. with the explanations for the balances of revenue due from Jalumutha, Dorobumman, Surjamutha, Mahisadai, Pamhuk, etc.	288-94	
Jan. 31 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	295-318	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Nil	Petition from Bhairabprasad and Subprasad, requesting that they may be put in possession of their taluk Hughardani Ghosah, purchased from Krishnuprasad Chaudhuri of Hukri pargana, which has been unlawfully occupied by Baharam Ray and Gokul Ray brother and nephew, respectively, of Ramkinkar Ray, Zamindar of the said pargana.	295-6	
Nil	Petition from Jagannohan Singh and others, complaining that they have been dispossessed of their bruti and mahatran lands in mauzas Bakshagarh, Manoharpur, etc., in parganas Katkunda, Chitpur, Boro, etc., by the Zamindar, and praying that an amir may be sent to put them in possession of the said lands.	297-8	

V. Shore, J. Evelyn and T. Law indisposed. Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jan. 31 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	295-318	
Jan. 28 Khalaa.	Letter from G. G. Ducarel, Superintendent of the Khalsa Records, intimating that Krishna Kanta Nandi complains that his salt at Keoramal, Majina and other places not included in the Parbahari mahals has been attached by the daroga of the Hijli Adalat and enquiring whether the Committee's orders to put Krishnananda Sarkar in possession of the salt of the Parbahari mahals should not be deferred till Krishnananda offered a suitable security.	299-301	
Nil	Orders on the above letter that Krishnananda Sarkar should furnish a security, that the parties be summoned to attend the Committee and that the Naib of High be directed to release those salt which is not included in the decree in favour of Krishnananda Sarkar.	301-2	
Nil	Petition from Durgacharan Mitra, requesting a rawana for 881 maunds of salt manufactured at Durgapur in Dooardumnan.	303-4	
Nil	Petition from Darpanarayan, inhabitant of village Kharnarpur under Muragachha pargana, requesting permission to construct a road from Kharnarpur to Kodaha.	304-5	
Nil	Petition from Ramkanta Basu, Farmer of Mahmudshahi, complaining of the disturbances created by Dayaram Pal, Narayan Nandi and Krishnaprasad Sen, servants of Mahendra Deb, Zamindar of 13-anna division of that pargana.	306-7	
Nil	Petition from the wakil of the widow of Saleh-ud-din Muhammad Khan, Zamindar of four-anna division of Jessore, representing that Baidyanath, Naib of Srikantha Ray, Zamindar of twelve-anna division of Jessore, has forcibly released Ghanashyam Chakrabarti, Mustajir of Sufalghati, and Shyam Mustafa, Malzamin of Silua, from the custody of the peons of the Amini Cutcherry.	309-10	
Jan. 31 Fort William.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting a chalan of one lakh of rupees on account of the collections of the Calcutta Division.	311	
Nil	Petition from Jaynarayan Ghoshal, complaining that [Khan Jahan Khan], the Faujdar of Hooghly, has decided to put one Amir Muhammad in possession of a garden and a mosque belonging to him and included in his taluk of mauza Salampur.	311-12	
Nil	Petition from Khoshal, an inhabitant of Jan Bazar in Calcutta, requesting a patta for 6 kathas of land in Jan Bazar.	313	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jan. 31 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	295-318	
Nil	Petition from Dayaram Nai (Barber), complaining that Raja Nabakrishna is forcibly obstructing him in erecting a wall on his own land.	314	
Nil	Petition from Raja Jaduram Ray, Zamindar of Dorodumnan, requesting that Durgacharan Mitra, one of his farmers, who is refusing to pay the revenue at the cutcherry of the petitioner, may be directed to do so.	315-16	
Nil	Petition from Baidyanath, Vakil of Srikanta Ray, Zamindar of twelve-anna division of Jessore, complaining that the gumashas of the widow of Saleh-ud-din Muhammad Khan, Zamindar of four-anna division of Jessore, are forcibly collecting revenue from the raiyats of his constituent and praying for redress.	316-18	
Feb. 2 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	319-27	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
[Feb. 2 Fort William.]	Proceedings of the Committee regarding realisation of arrears of revenue due from the Farmer of Barabazar (Calcutta), Rajah Rajballabh on account of Golagang, Ramprasad Mitra, late Sazawal of Panchannagram, and Raja Gurudas.	319-21	
Feb. 1 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, rejecting the proposals received for farming the salt mahals [of the 24 Parganas] and suggesting the grant of takavi to Zamindars willing to manufacture salt.	321-2	
Nil	List of Zamindars and vakils present before the Committee in connection with the farming of the salt mahals of the 24 Parganas.	323	
Nil	Statement of the above Zamindars and Vakils, saying why they cannot accept takavi to manufacture salt.	324	
Feb. 2 [Fort William.]	Letter to the Supreme Board, stating why the zamindars are unwilling to accept takavi for the manufacture of salt and commenting on the recent rise in the price of salt.	325-6	
[Feb. 2 Fort William.]	Proceedings of the Committee regarding realisation of balances of revenue due from Trilochan Palit, Farmer of Magura, and Jagannath Ghosh, Malzamin of Panchannagram.	326-7	328 blank.



Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Feb. 3 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	329-58	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Nil	Purport of applications by Nanda Kumar Datta and Madan Mohan Set for patta <sup>2</sup> in respect of lands held by them in Calcutta.	329	
[Feb. 3 Fort William.]	Report of the President on an application by G. Lewis for a patta for a plot of land purchased by him.	330-1	
Nil	Representation of the Vakil of Krishnananda Sarkar praying that Krishna Kanta Babu should furnish a security for the salt of the Parbahari mahals as has been demanded from his principal.	331-2	
[Feb. 3 Fort William.]	Observations of the Committee, discussing the terms on which both the contesting parties in the above dispute should furnish securities for the salt of the Parbahari mahals.	332-5	
Feb. 2 Calcutta.	Letter from E. Tiretta, requesting patta for his garden at Russa [in Calcutta].	335-6	
Nil	Petition from the raiyats of Sikandarpur, Rajbaria, etc., under pargana Ukhra, complaining of the illegal exactions by Debi Mitra, the Farmer, and Kalprasad Ray and Nilu Basu, Muharrirs.	337	
Nil	Petition from Gopi, Dayaram, Momuddin and other raiyats of Amurpur, complaining of the illegal exactions by Harekrishna Sen, Farmer, and Raghuram Basu, Katkadar of the place.	338	
Nil	Petition from Ramkanta Basu, Farmer of a division of Mahmudshahi, requesting that Prem Narayan Basu, Naib to the Zamindar of Gaurpur pargana under Mahmudshahi, may be arrested as he refuses to pay the revenue and interferes with the collection.	339	
[Feb. 3 Fort William.]	Report of the Secretary on the appointment of muharrir made by him in October 1778, on Rs. 30 per month, and the settlement of patta fees by the Diwan.	340	
Nil	Petition from Ramlochan Chandra, requesting that 8 kathas and 8 chataks of land in Malanga may be granted to him on payment of value of the same.	341	
Nil	Report of the Jarib Amin, intimating that the value of the land applied for by Ramlochan Chand is Rs. 25 per katha.	341-2	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Feb. 3 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee.	329-58	
Nil	Petition from Burnarayan, Zamindar of par-gaia Jalamutha, etc., in Hylt, requesting for the recall of the amil deputed to enquire into the dispute over village Golpukharia between him and the Zamindar of Mahisadal.	342-5	
Nil	Report of the Diwan, regarding balances of revenue due from the Sazawals of the 24 Parganas for 1184 B.S., with his suggestions for realisation of the same.	346-51	
[Feb. 3 Fort William.]	Orders passed by the Committee in pursuance of the above report of the Diwan.	352-5	
Nil	Petition from Gobindaprasad, vaid of Ray Ramballab, Talukdar of Jagannathpur, representing how the Zamindar of Fathesingh is trying to secure possession of the fishery mahals of his client.	355-6	
Feb. 1 Fort William.	Petition from Jagannohan Sen, Farmer of the khas mahals of the 24 Parganas, praying that pending decision of the appeal preferred to the Supreme Board by Ramlochan Pahi, Katkumdar of the zamindari mahals of the 24 Parganas, Ramlochan should furnish a security for Seven Rs. 50,84½ being the amount of Jagannohan's claims on account of the hasal and munafa of the salt of the barbuni mahal.	357-8	
Feb. 7 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	359-76	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Nil	Purport of a representation from the Diwan, asking for instructions as to what should be done about the complaint preferred by Ramkanta Basu, Farmer of Mahmudshahi, against Dayaram Pal and others who have been already imprisoned under orders of the Supreme Court.	361-2	
Nil	Further representation from the Diwan about the disturbances in Mahmudshahi and suggesting that a Jainadar with 25 peons may be sent to help Ramkanta Basu, Farmer of Mahmudshahi, in making the collections.	362-3	
Nil	Petition* from Gobinda Deb, Zamindar of three-anna four-ganda division of Mahmudshahi, representing the oppressions on his rayats by the people of the twelve-anna sixteen-ganda Zamindar of Mahmudshahi.	363-6	*Similar representation from Matiram-nigahban, not embodied in the proceedings.

<sup>1</sup> J. Shore indisposed. <sup>2</sup> Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Feb 7 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	359-76	
Nil	Letter from Pran Basu, Malzamin of Mahmudshahi, to his Wakil at the sadar, directing him to obtain help from the Committee against 5,000 armed men who have plundered hat Jainuddin and surrounded the cutcherry.	367	
[Feb. 7 Fort William.]	Proceedings of the Committee in connection with measures adopted to quell the disturbances at Mahmudshahi.	367-9	
[Feb. 7 Fort William.]	Copy of a letter to A. V. Rixtell, Sheriff, asking for reasons for the arrest of Dayaram Pal and Ram Narayan Nandi and directing that they should not be released without giving twelve hours' notice to the President or the Secretary of the Committee	370	
Nil	Report from the Diwan, representing the manner in which Ramlochan Palit, Katkinagar of Magura, has ignored the dastak demanding revenue due from him and enclosing a representation.	371-2	
Nil	Representation from Shaikh Madan and other persons of the Committee, stating how they were assaulted and confined by the people of Ramlochan Palit when they tried to serve the dastak on him.	372-3	
Nil	Petition from Madan Datta, Salt Farmer of Jessore, praying that Srikanta Ray, Zamindar of Jessore, may be directed to pay up his dues immediately.	374-5	
Feb. 10 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	377-405	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Feb. 8 Fort William.	Letter from C. Croftes, Accountant-General to the Revenue Department, requesting particular information about a sum of Rs. 921 remitted from the jama of the ceded lands under the Committee as shown in the jamawasil-baki accounts of 1778	377-8	
Feb. 7	Letter from A. V. Rixtell, Sheriff, informing why Dayaram Pal and Ram Narayan Nandi have been arrested under the orders of the Supreme Court.	379	
[Feb. 10 Fort William.]	Information of the President regarding complaints made by the raiyats of Calcutta, Magra, Muhammad Aminpur, etc., against their Farmers and Zamindars.	380-1	
[Feb. 10 Fort William.]	Orders on the above complaints	381-7	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Feb. 10 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	377-403	
Feb. 8 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, enclosing an extract of their proceedings.	387-9	
Feb. 8 Fort William.	Extract of the proceedings of the Supreme Board, relating to the management of the salt mahals of the 24 Parganas and the appointment of H. Griffiths as Agent for that purpose.	389-91	
Nil	Representation from the Diwan, suggesting the issue of a dastak to apprehend Radhakanta Ghosh, hazir-zamin of Jagannath Ghosh, Malzamin of Panchannagram.	393	
Feb. 10 [Fort William]	Letter to the Provincial Council of Revenue at Burdwan, requesting them to apprehend Radhakanta Ghosh, hazir-zamin of Jagannath Ghosh, Malzamin of Panchannagram, on account of balances of revenue due from the latter.	393-5	
Nil	List showing the balances of revenue due from the parganas of Mathura, Hugla, Calcutta, Khaspur, Dakshinsagar, Magra, Tappa Setul, Sarfarazpur, Hulki and Sibpur up to the kist for Poush 1186 B.S.	396	
Nil	Representation from the Diwan, submitting a list of defaulting Farmers and Zamindars with the names of their parganas and the amounts due with a request for issue of fresh dastaks for confirming them as the original ones have been lost by the persons entrusted to serve them.	397-9	
[Feb. 10 Fort William.]	Proceedings of the Committee in connection with the issue of separate parwanas, directing Zamindars, Talukdars and Farmers to render all necessary assistance to H. Griffiths, Salt Agent of the 24 Parganas, in managing the salt mahals.	400-2	
Feb. 10 Calcutta.	Letter from H. Griffiths, Salt Agent of the 24 Parganas, applying for an advance of Sica Rs. 1,50,000 for the salt business.	403	
Feb. 10 [Fort William.]	Letter to the Supreme Board, intimating that parwanas have been issued to Zamindars, Talukdars and Farmers to render necessary assistance to H. Griffiths, Salt Agent of the 24 Parganas, and arrangements have been made to advance, in instalments, Rs. 1,50,000 to H. Griffiths for the salt business.	404-5	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Feb. 11 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	406-40	B.S. and O. C.'s missing.
Feb. 8 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, directing an investigation into the dispute between the Zamindars of Keoramal and Mahisadal, intimating that the appeal of Ramlochan Palit has been referred to the Superintendent of the Khalsa Records, approving of the sale of salt of Ramlochan Palit for recovery of balances due, agreeing to the grant of a patta to J. Princep [Chintz Contractor] for some lands at Bhatpara, authorising the Committee to relax their demands on the Zamindars of Jalainutha, Dorodhunnai, Sujainutha, Mahisadal and Tamruk and asking to be furnished with a report of the settlement of Mahati.	406-8	
[Feb. 11 Fort William.]	Resolution of the Committee on the above	409-10	
Feb. 11 [Fort William.]	Letter to the Supreme Board, regarding the settlement of pargana Mahati made with the Zamindars for 1186 and 1187 B.S. and the steps taken for the realisation of the balances of revenue for 1184 and 1185 B.S. and enclosing two statements.	411-13	
Feb. 11 Cal. Com. Rev.	Kistbandi account of pargana Mahati showing the balances of revenues due from Gobindprasad, Debprasad, Rajkishor and Bhairab Chand, Zamindars, for 1184 and 1185 B.S.	414	
Feb. 11 Cal. Com. Rev.	Account showing the jama of Mahati, as payable by the Zamindars, for 1186 and 1187 B. S.	415	
[Feb. 11 Fort William.]	Resolution of the Committee that talab-chutthas demanding immediate payment of arrears of revenue be issued to the Zamindars of Mahati and the 24 Parganas as well as the defaulting Farmers of Sarfarazpur.	416	
Nil	Recommendation of the Diwan that Nandalal Singh be appointed Naib of Hylh.	417	
Jay (sic) 11 [Fort William.]	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting the proceedings of the Committee for August to December 1779 with index and appendix.	418	
Nil	List of claims of Madan Datta, late Salt Farmer of pargana Raymangal, against Srikanth Ray, Zamindar of Yusufpur, with the replies of the latter respecting those claims.	419-25	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Feb. 11 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	406-40	
Nil	Representation from Srikanta Ray, Zamindar of Yusufpur, requesting the Committee to examine his claims against Madan Datta, late Salt Farmer of Raymangal and settle the dispute.	423-7	
Nil	List of the claims preferred by Srikanta Ray, Zamindar of Yusufpur, against Madan Datta, late Salt Farmer of Raymangal.	427-32	
Nil	Report of the Diwan on the above dispute between Madan Datta, late Salt Farmer of Raymangal and Srikanta Ray, Zamindar of Yusufpur, recommending that an amil may be deputed to investigate the matter.	433-5	
[Feb. 11 Fort William.]	Observations of the Committee on the above dispute.	435-8	
[Feb. 11 Fort William.]	Further report of the Diwan in the same connection.	438-9	
[Feb. 11 Fort William.]	Resolution of the Committee in the above connection that Madan Datta should pay Rs. 23,400 immediately to Srikanta Ray, Zamindar of Yusufpur, on account of the balance of revenue due from him and that their respective claims against each other will be enquired into on their furnishing securities for payment of the amounts that may be decreed against either of them.	439-40	
[Feb. 11 Fort William.]	Order of the Committee, directing the issue of a dastak for the confinement of Madan Datta if he fails to pay Rs. 23,400 within five days.	440	
Feb. 14 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	441-56	B.S. and O. C.'s missing.
Nil	Report of the Diwan on the balances of revenue due from Ramlochan Palit, Katkmdar of the zamindari mahals of the 24 Parganas.	441	
Nil	Information of the Diwan that the patta prepared for E. Tiretta has not yet been signed by the President and others.	441	
[Feb. 14 Fort William.]	Resolution of the Committee that talab-chitthas be issued to the Zamindars and Farmers who have not yet paid the kist of Magh 1186 B.S.	442	
[Feb. 14 Fort William.]	Resolution of the Committee that the Naib of Jessore be directed to send back the sepoys who have not yet returned from Jessore.	443	

<sup>1</sup>J. Shore indisposed. Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Feb. 14 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	441-66	B. S. and C. C.'s missing.
[Feb. 14 Fort William.]	Resolution of the Committee appointing Nandalal Singh, Naib of Hijli.	443	
Nil	Purport of a representation from the Zamindars of Magra, requesting that Bhikari Palit may be confined for the balances of revenue due from his son Ramlochan Palit, Farmer of the pargana.	443-4	
Nil	Petition from Banchharam Sarma, father of Lakshinarayan Matilal and Jagatram Matilal, Farmers of parganas Hatiagarh and Barijhati, representing that a sum of Rs. 50,000 has been misappropriated by Gokul Chand Ghoshal, one of his securities, praying for release on bail of his son confined for arrears of revenue and requesting an investigation into the alleged misappropriation.	445-8	
Nil	List of the Katkinaldars of Hatiagarh and Barijhati parganas submitted by Banchharam Sarma.	448-9	
Nil	Petition from Jan Bibi, complaining that Raja Birnarayan, Zamindar of Keoramal, has unjustly taken possession of Sherichak and three other villages in Keoramal belonging to her and is oppressing the malangs.	450-2	
Feb. 8 Calcutta.	Letter from D. Anderson, President to the Supreme Board, representing the disturbances created by the zamindari officers of Mahmudshahi adversely affecting the collections and suggesting that a party of sepoys may be sent to help the farmer and to bring the situation under control.	453-6	457 blank.
Feb. 15 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	458-96	B.S. and O.C.'s missing.
[Feb. 15 Fort William.]	Order of the Committee directing the attachment of salt of Ramlochan Palit for recovery of balances due.	458-9	
Nil	Report of the Diwan recommending the sale of Amirabad zamindari for realisation of balances of revenue due from the Zamindars.	459	
Nil	Report of the Diwan on balances due from the Zamindars of Muhammad Aminpur on account of the kist of Paush 1186 B.S.	460	
Feb. 2 Powder Works, Fort William.	Letter from R. Stewart, Superintendent of Powder Works, requesting that deduction of revenue may be granted to Jagamohan Sen, Farmer of Balia pargana, on account of land acquired for the Powder Works.	461-3	

U. Shore, J. Evelyn and J. Cator indisposed. Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Feb. 15 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	458-96	
Feb. 15 Fort William.	Letter from G. Hodgson, Secretary, Rev. Dep., asking for a set of the proceedings of the Committee for 1779* complete with index and appendices.	465-6	
Nil	Petition from Ramram, Talukdar of Paighati, requesting the help of a Sepoy to protect his raiyats from the oppressions of his co-sharer.	466-7	
Nil	Petition from Ramlochan Ghosh, Security for Srikrishna Ray, Zamindar of Sarfaraspur pargana, requesting that a peon may be allowed to the Shukdar appointed by him for collecting rent from Kinkar, one of his Talukdars.	467-8	
Nil	Representation of the Diwan, requesting an order on the treasury for payment of a sum of Rs. 12,941-11-8-3 on account of the allowance of the Faujdar of Hooghly for Kartik to Purnah 1186 B.S.	468-9	
Nil	Report of the Diwan on balances of revenue due from certain parganas of the Calcutta Division on account of the five years' settlement suggesting measures for realisation thereof.	469-73	
[Feb. 15 Fort William.]	Orders passed by the Committee in pursuance of the above report of the Diwan.	473-5	
Nil	Report of the Diwan on the establishment of a thana at Barisha by the Faujdar of Chitpur and collection of chaukidari tax contrary to the orders of the Committee.	475	
Nil	Complaint of Dinu Mandal and other raiyats of Barisha against the Faujdar of Chitpur for establishing a new thana and exacting mathaut.	476	
Feb. 11 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, intimating that an officer with a company of Sepoys has been sent to Mahmudshahi pargana to quell the disturbances and to protect the farmer of the thirteen-anna division of that pargana and enclosing a copy of instructions given to the officer.	476-7	
Feb. 11 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board to Lt. Hunter deputed to Mahmudshahi pargana to protect the farmer of the thirteen-anna division, conveying instructions for his guidance.	477-80	
Feb. 11 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, forwarding with remarks a petition from Lakshman Singh, Katkinadar of Calcutta pargana.	480-1	

\*Seems to be a mistake for 1779.



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Feb. 15 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	458-96	
Nil	Translation of a petition from Lakshman Singh, Katkinadar of Calcutta pargana, representing the circumstances in which a suit was filed against him in the Supreme Court by Safairam and Kanai Bagchi, two of his raiyats confined for arrears of revenue, and praying for protection.	481-4	
[Feb. 15 Fort William.]	Resolutions of the Committee, directing the Secretary to ascertain full particulars of the above case from N. Naylor, Company's Attorney, and the Diwan to report if the statements in the above petition are true.	484-6	
Nil	Report from the Diwan on the claims of the widow and the mother of Radhanath Ray, deceased Zamindar of the nine-anna division of Muhammad Aminpur.	486-9	
Nil	Representation from the Wakil of the widow of Radhanath Ray, late Zamindar of nine-anna division of Muhammad Aminpur, complaining of non-payment of her mushahara and praying that she may be put in possession of her share of the zamindari.	489-92	
Nil	Petition from Gobindakishor, Zamindar of Khoshalpur in Hooghly, requesting that his portion of the zamindari may not be held liable for the debts of his nephew Hariprasad and that his mushahara may be kept amanat pending adjustment of the accounts by the Committee.	492-4	
Nil	Report of Col. Ironside on Virginia tobacco cultivated by him agreeing to deliver the plants to any farmer selected by the Committee.	495-6	497 blank.
Feb. 17 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	498-514	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
[Feb. 17 Fort William.]	Resolutions of the Committee, directing the issue of parwanas to Ramkanta Basu, Farmer of Mahmudshahi, and the Zamindars of Nadia and Mahmudshahi, intimating about the appointment of Lt. Hunter with the request that the detachment under him may be supplied with necessary provisions on payment of the usual price.	498-9	
Feb. 11 Patna.	Letter from J. Prinsep, Chints Contractor, soliciting that the Supreme Board may be moved to allow him to hold some additional lands at the current rate in Calcutta.	499-500	

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Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Feb. 17 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	498-514	
Feb. 17 Fort William.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting the above letter for their consideration.	500-1	
[Feb. 17 Fort William.]	Resolution of the Committee that a patta be granted to J. Princep, Chintz Contractor, for the farm of Bhatpara.	501	
Feb. 11 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, enclosing with remarks a petition from Balaram Mitra and Ramgobunda Mitra, late salt contractors of the 24 Parganas.	502	
Nil	Petition from Balaram Mitra and Ramgobunda Mitra, late salt contractors of the 24 Parganas, to the Supreme Board, requesting that arbitrators may be appointed to adjust their accounts for the period of their contract during 1179 to 1183 B.S. and to decide the various issues raised by them in that connection.	503-7	
[Feb. 17 Fort William.]	Examination of the Zamindar of Magura and Bhikari Palit, father of Ramdhan Palit, Katkinadar of the zamindari mahals of the 24 Parganas, regarding the actual katkinadar of the said mahals.	508-11	
[Feb. 17 Fort William.]	Resolution of the Committee, suspending their previous order for attaching the salt of Ramdhan Palit till further measures for realisation of the pats given by him prove futile.	512-13	
[Feb. 17 Fort William.]	Remark of the President, inviting the opinion of the members of the Committee on the question of issuing dastaks for the confinement of Madan Datta to realise arrears due from him.	513-14	
Feb. 21 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	515-60	B.S. and O. C.'s missing.
[Feb. 21 Fort William.]	Opinion of T. Law, Member, that a dastak be issued against Madan Mohan Datta to realise arrears due.	515	
[Feb. 21 Fort William.]	Opinion of J. Shore, Member, in the above connection, that no dastak need issue against Madan Mohan Datta.	516	
[Feb. 21 Fort William.]	Opinion of J. Evelyn, Member, that the Supreme Board's orders should be obtained before any action is taken against Madan Mohan Datta.	516-17	
[Feb. 21 Fort William.]	Opinion of H. Richardson, Member, agreeing with J. Evelyn.	517	

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Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Feb. 21 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	515-60	
[Feb. 21 Fort William.]	Opinion of the President, agreeing with J. Evelyn.	517-19	
[Feb. 21 Fort William.]	Opinion of J. Cator, Member, agreeing with the President.	519	
[Feb. 21 Fort William.]	Letter to the Supreme Board, submitting particulars regarding balances due from Madan Datta, Katkinadar of Jessore and requesting instructions how the arrears should be realised.	519-26	
Feb. 15 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, intimating that mauza Damrana Mustafipur under the Zamindar of Maihati has been transferred from the Murshidabad Division to the Calcutta Division.	527-8	
[Feb. 21 Fort William.]	Letter to the Provincial Council of Revenue at Murshidabad, requesting them to send the kabulyats of the talukdar together with accounts and necessary papers relating to Damrana Mustafipur added to the Calcutta Division.	528-9	
Feb. 15 Khalsa.	Letter from G. G. Ducarel, Superintendent of the Khalsa Records, enclosing with remarks a petition from certain raiyats of Tamruk.	530	
Nil	Petition from Gauranga Mahapatra, Raghu and other raiyats of Tamruk, complaining of the extortions by the Zamindar.	530-1	
Feb. 15 Khalsa.	Letter from G. G. Ducarel, Superintendent of the Khalsa Records, enclosing with remarks a petition from Kinu Ghosh.	532	
Nil	Petition from Kinu Ghosh, inhabitant of mauza Chakdi in Barihati pargana, complaining of oppressions of Dinabandhu an officer of Nandakishor, Farmer of Azimabad pargana and praying for redress.	532-4	
[Feb. 21 Fort William.]	Representation of J. Shore, proposing that Ajodhyaram, amin, deputed to settle the dispute between Atmaram Datta, Farmer of Maidanmal and the local Zamindar be recalled to Calcutta.	534-6	
Feb. 21 Fort William.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting price-currents of grain and salt in the Calcutta Division for Paush.	537	
[Feb. 21 Fort William.]	Information given by J. Shore, regarding the application by J. Petrie for a patta for two bighas and five kathas of land in Calcutta standing in the name of Sir R. Chambers.	537-9	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Feb. 21 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	515-60	
Nil	Representation of Ramsankar Neogi, agent of Baranashi Ghosh, Malzamin of Mah-mud-shahi, why he cannot answer the talab-chitthi issued against his constituent.	539-40	
Nil	Recommendation of the Diwan that parwana be issued to the paiks concerned not to allow the Zamindars of Jalumutha and Mahisadal to remove any salt boiled in those places without authority from the Committee.	541-2	
Nil	Petition from Iswar Chand Ray, Sri Chand Ray and Bishnu Chand Ray, Farmers of pargana Calcutta, etc., representing the difficulties in collecting revenue due to desertion of wax gatherers and non payment of arrears due by their katkinadars.	543-5	
Nil	Report of the Diwan, recommending that parwana be issued against the Zamindars of parganas Paighati, Madannal, Murgachha, Magra and Harijhati directing them not to obstruct the search for the wax-gatherers who have deserted from Shahpur pargana.	545-6	
Nil	Petition from Krishna Chandra Basu, inhabitant of Calcutta, complaining that Trilochan Palit [Farmer of Magra pargana] has unjustly resumed his patitabad lands in mauza Ramnagar within pargana Magra and has been collecting rents from the rayats and cultivators there.	547-8	
Feb. 11	Report from Jagannath, amin, deputed to enquire into the dispute between the Zamindars of four-anna and twelve-anna divisions of Saiyidpur and Yusufpur, explaining the reasons why the matter has not been settled yet.	548-51	
Nil	Petition from Tituram and other byaparis, complaining of the illegal exactions made by Jugal and Anandaram, tax collectors of Raja Nabakrishna at ghats Pyah and Taragonia and praying for redress.	552-3	
[Feb. 21 Fort William.]	Deposition of Hari Simleah in connection with the dispute between the Zamindars of Magura pargana and Bhikari Palit.	554-7	
[Feb. 21 Fort William.]	Deposition of Krishna Chandra Banarji in the above connection.	557-8	
[Feb. 21 Fort William.]	Deposition of Durgaram Datta in the same connection.	558-60	

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Feb. 22 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> ..	561-71	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Nil	Petition from Gopi Mohan Basu, inhabitant of Calcutta, complaining against Sambhu Ray, gumashta of Iswar Chand Ray, Farmer of Calcutta, for having forcibly dispossessed him of his lands in Behiaghata.	562	
Nil	Arzi from the Faujdar of Hooghly, enclosing several documents regarding the complaint of Jagamohan Babu against Hariprosad, Zamindar of the severanna division of Muhammad Aminpur, for non-payment of money lent to the latter.	563-4	
Nil	List of enclosures to the above arzi ..	564-5	
Feb. 22. Calcutta.	Petition from Madan Datta, Salt Contractor of Jessore, refuting the demands made on him by Srikanta Ray, Zamindar of Jessore, and requesting that the dispute may be settled by arbitration.	566-8	
[Feb. 22 Fort William.]	Minute of H. Richardson, Member, pointing out the inexpediency of trying to settle the above dispute by arbitration.	568-70	
Feb. 24 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>2</sup> ..	572-99	B.S. and O.C.'s missing.
Nil	Petition from Abdul Hadi Munshi of Mallikpur in Maidanmal pargana, complaining that he has been dispossessed by the Zamindar of some of his lands in Maidanmal and praying for redress.	572-3	
Nil	Report from the Diwan, showing the balances of revenue due from the Zamindars of pargana Muhammad Aminpur and suggesting measures for realisation of the arrears due.	574-5	
[Feb. 24 Fort William.]	Order of the Committee that a sum of Rs. 12,850 be paid to the widow and the mother of Radhanath Ray and the widow of Gobinda Chandra, former Zamindars of Muhammad Aminpur on account of muahahara.	576	
Nil	Observations of the Diwan, regarding balances due from the 24-Parganas.	576-7	
[Feb. 24 Fort William.]	Observations of the Committee in the above connection.	577	
Nil	Further observations of the Diwan in the same connection.	578	

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Feb. 24 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	572-99	
Nil	Letter* from the Zamindars of Maihati	578-9	
Nil	Observations of the Diwan on realisation of balances due by the Zamindars of Maihati.	580	
[Feb. 24 Fort William.]	Resolution of the Committee that a parwana should issue to the Zamindars of Maihati that unless they pay up their arrears within a short time their Zamindari will be sold to recover the balance due.	580-1	
[Feb. 24 Fort William.]	Proceedings of the Committee on balances of revenue due from Hijli, Yusufpur, Sataikka and Muhammad Aminpur.	581-2	
[Feb. 24 Fort William.]	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting the tauzi account for Magh 1186 B.S., explaining the reasons for the balances due from the khas and zamindari mahals of Magura, Calcutta, Maihati, Hijli, Yusufpur, Sataikka and Muhammad Aminpur.	583-92	
Nil	Petition from Rasik Lal Datta, late salt contractor of Raymangal, requesting that the execution of the daatah issued against him for recovery of money due on account of khalaria rents may be deferred pending an adjustment of the actual amount due according to the terms of his contract with Government.	593-5	
Nil	Report of the Diwan on rents paid by Rasik Lal Datta for the salt khalaria of Raymangal during 1180 to 1183 B.S.	595-6	
[Feb. 24 Fort William.]	Order of the Committee directing the Naib immediately to put Krishnananda in possession of the Parbahari mahals.	597	
[Feb. 24 Fort William.]	Order of the Committee that security be demanded from Ramlochan Palit, Katkinadar of Magura, for Rs. 46,037 being the amount decreed against him.	597	
Feb. 20	Letter from W. Jackson, Attorney-at-Law, intimating that the Bengali paper received from the Diwan is more a promissory note or agreement than a bill of exchange.	598	
[Feb. 24 Fort William.]	Statement of Ramankar Neogi, Vakil of Baranashi Ghosh, Malzamin of Mahmud-shahi, declining to pay the balance of Rs. 36,927 demanded from him as he was not the security for the farm of Mahmud-shahi.	598-9	

\*Not embodied in the proceedings, though page 579 seems to have been left blank for entering the letter.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Feb. 28 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	600-12	B.S. and O. C.'s missing.
[Feb. 28 Fort William.]	Resolution of the Committee that a pargana be issued to Nandalal, Deputy of Balaram, Naib, directing him to apprehend the Zamindars of Jessore and send him to Calcutta to pay the balances due by him.	600-1	
[Feb. 28 Fort William.]	Resolution of the Committee that a pargana be issued to the Zamindar of Jessore, directing him to obey the above order of the Committee.	601	
Feb. 28 [Fort William.]	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting a chalan of Rs. 1,50,000 on account of the collections of the Calcutta Division.	602	
[Feb. 28 Fort William.]	Order of the Committee that the Diwan be directed to report on the dispute between Rani Janaki, Zamindar of Mahisadal, and Birnarayan Chaudhuri, Zamindar of Tamruk, over the possession of Golpurkuria.	603-4	
Nil	Petition from the Vakil of Hiramam Chaudhuri of pargana Hogla, complaining that Baidyanath Mitra and Rajnarayan Ray Chaudhuri, appointed arbitrators by the Committee to settle Krishna Singh Chaudhuri's share of the above pargana have not yet begun their work and that large sums of money are due to him from Ramdas, an officer of pargana Amirabad.	604-5	
[Feb. 28 Fort William.]	Resolutions of the Committee on the various pleas advanced by Ramlochan Palit, Katkinadar of Magura, in connection with the adjustment of balances of revenue due from him.	606-11	
Nil	Petition from Asuri Ram and others, praying that a patta may be granted to them for the disputed land as Gul Muhammad and Jainuddin refuse to pay the sum awarded by the amin.	611	613 blank.
Mar. 2 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>2</sup> .. ..	614-37	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Feb. 29 Amirabad.	Letter from W. Richardson, Pulbandi Agent of the 24-Parganas, enclosing with remarks a report regarding bandhs, etc. in the district needing repairs and requesting that necessary advances for repairing the pulis and bandhs may be made as early as possible.	615-16	

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Date and from	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Mar. 2 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	614-27	
Feb. 29 Azunabad.	Report from W. Richardson, Pulbandi Agent of the 24 Parganas, stating the condition of the pils and bandhs in the different parganas of the district.	616-18	
[Mar. 2 Fort William.]	Resolution of the Committee that parwanas be issued to zamindars and farmers in the 24 Parganas to repair the pils and bandhs within their respective zamindari immediately.	619	
[Mar. 2 Fort William.]	Resolution of the Committee, directing the Secretary to inform W. Richardson, Pulbandi Agent of the 24 Parganas, that peremptory orders have issued to the zamindars and farmers to repair the pils and bandhs within their respective jurisdictions as they have already received the advances for repair of pils and bandhs.	619-20	
Nil	Letter from J. Prinsep, Chintz Contractor, naming the conditions on which he can reconstruct the factory road in Palta and repair the bridge over the canal for communication to the Supreme Board and enclosing a table of tolls proposed to be levied by him at the Chipakhana ferry.	620-3	
Nil	Table of tolls proposed by J. Prinsep, Chintz Contractor, to be levied on persons, animals, carriages, etc., crossing by the Chipakhana ferry.	623-4	
Mar. 2 Cal. Com. Rev.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting the above letter from J. Prinsep, Chintz Contractor and the accompanying table of proposed tolls for orders.	624-6	
Nil	Report from the Diwan, recommending the sale of the garden at Hogalkuria (Calcutta) belonging to Rammohan Palit, former malzamin of a portion of the khas mahals of Magura pargana, to recover balances of revenue due from him.	625-7	
Nil	Petition from Raja Nabakrishna, intimating that he replied to the Committee's parwana dated 7 July 1779 long ago and transmitting a copy of that reply.	627-8	
Nil	Report of the Diwan on the dispute between Panchanan Chaudhuri and Ramcharan Chaudhuri, Talukdars of Amirpur pargana and Raja Krishnachandra, Zamindar of Nadia, over the possession of a jalkar in mauza Kararia and a bazar at Karjora.	628-36	



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Mar. 6 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	638-71	B. S. and O. C.s' missing.
Feb. 24 Murshidabad.	Letter from the Provincial Council, of Revenue at Murshidabad, transmitting certain accounts.	638	
Nil	Petition from Ramchandra, Talukdar of Nasibpur, complaining that Frankinkar, one of his co-sharers, has dispossessed him of his share of the dariabadi and khamar lands of the said taluk and praying for redress.	640-2	
Nil	Letter from Darpanarayan, Naib of Nadia, explaining the reasons for the delay in payment of revenue by Raja Krishna-chandra of Nadia.	643-4	
Nil	Report from the Diwan, suggesting measures for recovery of arrears of revenue for 1185 B.S. due from Jagamohan Sen, Farmer of the khas mahals of the 24 Parganas.	644-9	
Mar. 5 Fort William.	Petition from Atmaram Datta, Security of Jagamohan Sen, Farmer of the Khas Mahals of the 24-Parganas, intimating that he has paid up the amount due on account of Jagamohan Sen and praying for release from confinement on furnishing a security for the amount due from Ramlochan Palit, Katkinadar of the khas mahals of the 24-Parganas, as the matter is being reconsidered.	649-51	
Nil	Representation by the raiyats of Muragachha and other parganas within the 24-Parganas, complaining of the various illegal exactions by the zamindars, katkinadars and farmers with the orders proposed to be issued by the Committee noted against each item of complaint.	652-64	
Nil	Letter from the Faujdar of Chitpur, complaining that the Zamindar of Rajganj and a number of his raiyats are responsible for many thefts and robberies and soliciting permission to establish a thana at that place.	664-5	
Nil	Petition from Jaynarayan Singh, Vakil of the Farmer of Calcutta pargana, requesting that the katkinadars of tarafs Panchuria and Beniabatia in Calcutta may be directed to pay up their arrears of revenue.	666-7	
Nil	Report from Ramananda, amin, deputed to make a partition of the four-anna share of the zamindari of pargana Muragachha submitting an account of the partition made by him.	667-8	

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Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Mar. 6 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	638-71	
Nil	Account of the partition of the four-anna division of pargana Muragachha as drawn up by Ramananda, amin, deputed by the Committee for the purpose.	669	
Nil	Recommendation of the Diwan for issue of dastaks against the Zamindars of Amirabad for recovery of balances of revenue due from them.	670	
Mar. 9 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee' .. *	672-85	H. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Mar. 4 Fort William.	Letter from B. Lacam, applying for two separate pattas for his dwelling house and certain lands adjoining the wet dock.	672	
Mar. 6 Sheriff's Office.	Letter from A. Vanrixtel, Sheriff, to W. Haverkam, Secretary to the Calcutta Committee of Revenue, intimating that two prisoners Dayaram Pal and Ram Narayan Nandi will be released from his custody within twenty-four hours.	673	
[Mar. 9 Fort William.]	Information of the President that Dayaram Pal has been apprehended but Ram Narayan Nandi, the other prisoner, has escaped.	673	
[Mar. 9 Fort William.]	Orders of the Committee, directing the Diwan to apprehend Ram Narayan Nandi and to adjust the claims against Dayaram Pal, the other prisoner.	673	
Nil	Petition from Kalisankar Ray, Zamindar of Maidanmal, complaining of the oppressions of the Faujdar of Chitpur.	674	
Nil	Representation by the Vakil on behalf of the Zamindar of Maidanmal about persons unlawfully imprisoned by the Faujdar of Chitpur.	675	
Nil	Zubanbandi, submitted by the Sarihtadar of the 24 Parganas, of several raiyats of Barisha in Calcutta pargana, complaining of the illegal collections and unauthorized establishment of thanas by the Faujdar of Chitpur.	676-7	
Mar. 9 Fort William.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting a set of the Committee's proceedings for 1779 complete with index and appendix.	678	

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Date and from.	Nature of documents	Reference.	Remarks
Mar. 9 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	672-85	
Nil	Petition from Raghunath Mitra, Vakil of the Raja of Nadia, interfering with the collection of revenue of pargana Anwarpur, zamindari of the Raja of Nadia, and establishing unauthorised thanas though the place has been for a long time under the jurisdiction of the Faujdar of Hooghly.	679	
Nil	Petition from Nanda Kumar Sen, Farmer of Azimabad, complaining of the oppressions of Prabhuram Mallik who has secured by collusive means thika pattas for some lands.	680-1	
Nil	Petition from Ramlochan Palit, requesting that Mr. Griffiths who has been appointed to manufacture salt in parganas Calcutta, Haliagarh, etc., may be directed to pay the price of the salt boiled by the petitioner in those parganas and to refund the advances made to the malangis.	681-2	
Nil	Report of the Diwan about payment of a sum of Rs. 13,513 by Dataram Tarafdar on account of the five years' revenue of Murgachha on certain conditions.	683	
Nil	Petition from Ramlochan Ghosh, security of Srikrishna Ray, Talukdar of Sarfarazpur, complaining that one Radhanath Ray is forcibly preventing his officers from collecting revenue in Sarfarazpur.	683-4	
Mar. 9 Fort William.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting a remittance of one lakh of rupees on account of the collections of the Calcutta Division.	685	
Nil	Petition from Dunnadun Thakur, requesting that a plot of one katha of land near his house in bazar Calcutta may be sold to him.	685	
Mar. 13 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	686-713	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Mar. 9 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, intimating the appointment of P. Francis as First Councillor of the Supreme Board vice R. Barwell left for Europe.	686	
Mar. 10 Govt. Custom House, Calcutta.	Letter from H. Scott, Deputy Collector of Government Customs in Calcutta, enclosing with remarks a petition.	687	

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Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Mar. 13 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	686-713	
15 Falgun 1186 B. S.	Representation of Abdul Aziz, daroga of Choondai, describing the violence committed by Srikanta Nag, gumashta of Ramnarsing, Farmer of Balia and Balinda, on Panchanan Singh, sarkar of Naihati Chauki.	687-90	
Mar. 10 Fort William.	Letter from B. Lacam [Chunam Contractor], to W. Haverkam, Secretary to the Committee, informing that he has not yet received the patta for the lands in his possession.	691-2	
Nil	Recommendation of the Diwan for the issue of a new dastak for apprehending Atmaram Datta, Malzamin of Jagannohan Sen, Farmer of the khas mahala of the 24-Parganas, now at Barijhati, and of a parwana to Narsing Deo, Zamindar of Barijhati, to render necessary assistance in the matter.	692	
Mar. 13 Cal. Com. Rev.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting the treasury and other accounts for Magh 1186 B. S.	693	
Nil	Report from the Diwan, recommending the sale of the house and other effects of Jagannath Ghosh, brother of Ganga Narayan Ghosh, security for Darpa Narayan Sarkar, Farmer of Panchannagram, to recover balances of revenue on account of Panchannagram.	693-4	
Nil	Translation of a report from the Diwan, giving particulars of the assets of Jagannath Ghosh, Malzamin of Panchannagram, recommended to be sold for recovery of arrears due.	694-5	
Nil	Petition from Krishnananda Sarkar, Talukdar of the Parbahari mahala, complaining of the oppressions of Birnarayan Chaudhuri, Zamindar of Hujli, and praying for redress.	696-7	
Mar. 13 Accountant's Office.	Report from the Accountant, explaining the reasons why price-currents of gram and salt for the months of Magh and Falgun 1186 B. S. has not yet been transmitted to the Supreme Board and suggesting issues of fresh orders to the naibs in that connection.	698	
Nil	Petition from the vakil of Iswar Chandra Ray and others, Farmers of Calcutta pargana, complaining that the Faujdar of Chitpur is interfering with collection of revenue of the said pargana.	698-9	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Mar. 13 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	686-73	
Nil	Petition from Rasikdeb Chakrabarti and some other raiyats of Pagladanga, complaining of the oppressions of Fakirchand Patwari, Renter of the Sair mahals of Beliaghata and Pagladanga and praying for redress.	700-1	
Nil	Report of the Diwan, mentioning the proposals received for farming Pagladanga for 1187 B. S.	701	
Nil	Report of the Diwan, requesting that orders may be passed on the representation of Saiyid Ali and others for a share in the taluk of Mainuddin in Sital and Magra, so that the balances due from that taluk may be recovered.	702	
Nil	Petition from Sahabuddin Serang, applying for a patta for 4 kathas of land in Calcutta purchased by him.	703	
{ Mar. 13 Fort William. }	Representation from the raiyats of Jagannathpur, complaining that the Farmer of the place is demanding rents from them in respect of lands ceded to Capt. R. W. Stewart for constructing a road.	704	
Mar. 13 Fort William.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting with remarks a detailed account of persons from whom ground rent are due from 1179 to the end of Magh 1186 B.S., jamawasil-baki accounts for 1185 B.S. and an account showing the balances of land revenue and chaukidari taxes of the town of Calcutta outstanding at the end of Magh 1186 B.S.	705-6	
Feb. 23 Calcutta.	Letter from C. Mayers, requesting that Marcella D. Rozario who has encroached upon his land may be directed to restore his lands failing which the patta applied for by her should not be granted.	706-8	
{ Mar. 13 Fort William. }	Opinion of J. Shore on the claim of Pedro Poringi, a Portuguese, to the jagir of village Digrah in Muhammad Aminpur, that the matter be again referred to the Supreme Board and submitting a letter to the Committee for consideration.	709	
{ Mar. 13 Fort William. }	Opinion of the President, suggesting certain modifications to the letter of J. Shore.	709	J. Evelyn agrees; H. Richardson dissent.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Mar. 13 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	686-713	
[Mar. 13 Fort William.]	Opinion of H. Richardson in the above connection that the lands claimed by Pedro Feringi should be annexed to the zamindari of Muhammad Aminpur.	710	
Mar. 13 Fort William.	Letter to the Supreme Board, stating the circumstances in which the jagir of village Digrah in Muhammad Aminpur is claimed by Pedro Feringi, a Portuguese, and enquiring whether it is still desired that the village should be granted to him as a jagir.	710-13	
Mar. 16 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	713-32	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Mar. 13 Calcutta.	Letter from H. Grant, requesting a new patta for his house in Calcutta purchased from Capt. J. Holme.	714	
Nil	Petition from Iswar Chandra and Bishnu Chandra, Farmers of the 24-Parganas, explaining in detail the losses of revenue suffered by them and praying for suitable remissions on that account.	715-19	
Mar. 16 Cal. Com. Rev.	Letter from W. Haverkam, Secretary to H. Griffiths, Salt Agent of the 24-Parganas, directing him not to comply with the request of the farmers for payment of khalar rent.	720	
[Mar. 16 Fort William.]	Proceedings of the Committee in connection with the determination of the different items of remissions urged by Iswar Chandra and Bishnu Chandra, Farmers of the 24-Parganas.	720-4	
Nil	Petition from Jaynarayan Singh, wakil of the Farmer of Calcutta, requesting that dastaka for confining malzamins of certain dhis may be issued to recover arrears due from them.	724	
[Mar. 16 Fort William.]	Motion of H. Richardson, suggesting that the Accountant and the Diwan be directed to submit a list of the taluks, mahals and sairs, the terms of which are going to expire.	725	D. Anderson and T. Law agree.
Nil	Petition from Muhammad Azhar, Zamindar of Sataikka, complaining that his insane mother has been carried away by some villains who are creating disturbances in his zamindari and praying for redress.	725-6	
Nil	Petition from Ghulam Rasool, pressing his claim to the entire taluk of late Mainuddin in Dastura, Dandania and Tapa Sital in pargana Magra.	727-8	

U. Shore, J. Evelyn and J. Cartor indisposed. Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Mar. 16 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	714-32	
Nil	Particulars about documents produced by Najaf Ali, Kinu Bibi and Hamza Ali in connection with the dispute over the taluk of late Mainuddin.	728-9	
Nil	Genealogical table of the plaintiffs in the above suit, submitted to the Committee by their wakil.	730	
(Mar. 16 Fort William.)	Order of the Committee decreeing that the taluk be divided into four shares and giving directions to Ramananda, amin, to make a partition of the taluk accordingly.	731	733 blank.
Mar. 22 Fort William	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	734-49	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
(Mar. 22 Fort William.)	Motion of the President that the 20th instant fixed for the sale of the garden at Hogalkuria and lands, etc., belonging to Jagannath and Ganga Narayan, being a holiday, the sale be postponed to the 23rd instant.	734-5	J. Shore, H. Richardson and T. Law agree.
Mar. 9 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, directing the issue of parwanas to zamindars, chaudhurs, talukdars, etc., to transmit within three months an account of suits instituted in the Supreme Court since Oct. 1775, conveying instructions how such accounts are to be drawn up and enquiring how far the Committee and the Diwan Adalat are respected by the people.	735-7	
Mar. 19 Chitpur.	Letter from J. Prinsep, Chintz Contractor, stating in reply to claims for compensation put forward by the farmers of Calcutta pargana that he obtained possession of the lands in question subsequent to the previous crops being gathered and the reasons for the removal of the Sujapur bazar to Bigati.	737-9	
Mar. 22 Fort William.	Letter to J. Prinsep, Chintz Contractor, requesting him to compensate the Farmer of Calcutta pargana for losses caused by the establishment of a new bazar at Bigati.	739-40	
(Mar. 22 Fort William.)	Report of the Diwan, recommending that the zamindars and talukdars, likely to get into arrears, should be granted an extension of time to pay up their revenue by mortgaging or selling portions of their properties.	740-1	
(Mar. 22 Fort William.)	Report of the Diwan, submitting a list of taluks in the 24-Parganas and Sarfarazpur and recommending that they may be advertised for sale for recovery of kists for Magh and Fa'gun 1186 B.S.	741-3	

U. Cator indisposed. Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Mar. 22 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	734-49	
[Mar. 22 Fort William.]	Minute of H. Richardson, dissenting from the above recommendation of the Diwan.	743-4	
Nil	Petition from Ramlochan Palit, Katkinaldar of the zamindari mahals of the 24 Parganas stating the terms on which he is willing to pay up his arrears and requesting that his salt attached by the Committee may be released.	744-5	
Nil	Petition from Gauri Kisher and other parties of Salkia, complaining that Baghunath and Radhika Patnis of Sutanuti have unjustly seized their ferry boats, dispossessed them of their ferry at Gozak Ghat and confined their people	745-6	
Mar. 21 Calcutta	Letter from J. Williams, requesting that a bigha of waste land near his garden at Entally may be sold to him	746-7	
[Mar. 22 Fort William.]	Proceedings of the Committee in connection with the sale of the garden and other effects of Jagannath Ghosh for liquidation of balances due on account of the farm of Panchanagram.	747-8	
Mar. 23 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	750-77	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Mar. 21* Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, forwarding a report from the Superintendent of the Khalsa Records with directions for the scrutiny and adjustment of the accounts between Madan Datta, Katkinaldar of the salt mahals of Jessore and Srikantha Ray, Zamindar of Jessore.	750	
Mar. 21 Khalsa.	Report from C. G. Ducrest, Superintendent of the Khalsa Records, to the Supreme Board, commenting on the dispute between Madan Datta, Katkinaldar of the salt mahals of Jessore, and Srikantha Ray, Zamindar of Jessore	751-3	
[Mar. 13 Fort William.]	Minute of J. Shore, submitting with remarks a list of additional staff necessary to help the amins engaged in the investigation of patitabad lands.	754	
Nil	List submitted by J. Shore of extra muharrirs necessary in connection with the investigation of the patitabad lands of the different parganas.	755	

\*J. Evelyn and J. Cator subpoenaed to the Supreme Court. Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.



Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Mar. 23 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	760-77	
Nil	Petition from Ramkanta Basu, Farmer of 12 anna 16 ganda division of Mahimudahahi pargana, complaining how the Zamindar is interfering with the collection of revenue and suggesting certain measures for safeguarding the revenue alternatively praying for some remission.	755-6	
Nil	Petition from Darpanarayan, Naib of Nadia, representing his difficulties in paying the Faujdari officers and suggesting certain arrangements in that connection.	758-60	
Nil	Petition from Krishnaprasad Set, an inhabitant of Calcutta, asking for a patta for a kutha of land in Baitakkhana bazar purchased by him at the Sheriff's sale.	760-1	
Nil	Petition from Balam Chand, an inhabitant of Calcutta, requesting a patta for 4½ kuthas of land in Colutola purchased by him at the Sheriff's sale.	762-3	
Nil	Report of the Diwan on the partition of Muragaccha made by Ramananda, amil, and recommending that the taluk be divided between the co-sharers accordingly.	763-4	
Nil	Representation of the Diwan, recommending that measures should be adopted against Nidhumani Banarji, Malzamin of Azimganj, to realise arrears on account of the kist for Falgun 1186 B.S.	765	
Nil	Information from the Diwan that Ramlochan Palit, Katkinadar of the Zamindari Mahals of the 24-Parganas, is ready to pay the amount demanded by the Committee, part in cash and the balance by a pat, provided the Salt attached by the Committee is released.	765	
[Mar. 23 Fort William.]	Minute of T. Law, Member, suggesting measures for the relief of talukdars, etc., confined for arrears and approving of the Diwan's proposal for extending the time for paying up the revenue with permission to sell or mortgage part of their properties.	766-8	
[Mar. 23 Fort William.]	Minute of H. Richardson, Member, recommending that the proposals of the Diwan be referred to the Supreme Board for orders.	768-9	
[Mar. 23 Fort William.]	Minute of J. Shore, Member, approving of the Diwan's proposals but desiring a reference to the Supreme Board for their orders.	769-70	
[Mar. 23 Fort William.]	Minute of D. Anderson, President, agreeing with the opinions of H. Richardson and J. Shore mentioned above.	770-1	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Mar. 23 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	750-77	
Mar. 17 Calcutta.	Letter from N. Naylor, Company's Attorney to W. Havekham, Secretary, transmitting with remarks copies of the evidence in the two actions in the supreme Court against Lakshman Singh for imprisoning Kanai Bagdi and Safalram.	771-2	
Mar. 23 Fort William.	Letter to the Supreme Board, explaining the points in dispute in the accounts between Government and the late Salt contractors of the 24 Parganas for 1179 to 1183 B.S. and transmitting with remarks copy of the adjusted accounts together with an abstract of the complaints alleged by the salt contractors against the Company in the Supreme Court for further instructions.	772-7	
Mar. 27 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	778-99	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Nil	Petition from Radhakrishna Datta, inhabitant of pargana Iktarpur, complaining that Bijay Nath Ray, farmer of villages Shaukhnagar and Daudpur in pargana Hata-agarh, have unjustly seized his debottar lands in those villages.	778-9	
Mar. 25 Khalsa.	Letter from G. G. Ducarel, Superintendent of the Khalsa Records, enclosing with remarks a petition.	779	
Nil	Petition from Basudeb Mitra and others to the Superintendent of the Khalsa Records, complaining that Barkat-ulla, Naib of the Zamindar of Satsikka, has illegally collected Rs. 120 from them on account of their brahmottar and mahatran lands in mauzas Shahpur and Ahmedpur.	780	
Nil	Petition from Imad-ud-din and other talukdars of pargana Shahnagar, representing their grievances against their zamindar and some other persons of the place.	781-4	
[Mar. 27 Fort William.]	Orders passed by the Committee in consequence of the above petition.	784-6	
[Mar. 27 Fort William.]	Letter to the Supreme Board, intimating for the orders of the Supreme Board the proposals of the Diwan for extending the time for payment of revenue in the case of defaulting talukdars, etc., so that they may raise money by selling or mortgaging their properties if necessary.	780-9	

<sup>1</sup>The President and J. Cator indisposed. Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Mar. 27 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	778-99	
Mar. 27 Calcutta.	Letter from J. Evelyn, requesting that the <i>jarib</i> <i>amin</i> may be directed to measure and assess the value of the plot of khmar land to the north of Major Tolly's nala as he intends to purchase the same from the Company.	790	
Mar. 24 Calcutta.	Letter from J. Motte (Superintendent of Ferries) to W. Haverkam, Secretary, intimating that an enquiry is being made into the alleged stopping of boats of <i>akaghunath</i> and <i>Radhu</i> by people of <i>Salkia</i> .	791-2	
Nil	Petition from <i>Bhabancharan</i> , requesting 25 <i>bighas</i> of land in the <i>taluk</i> of <i>Parbati Charan</i> for digging a tank for the relief of the <i>rayats</i> who are in distress due to the existing scarcity of water.	792	
Mar. 22 Calcutta.	Letter from H. Castleman, asking for a <i>patta</i> for some lands and a house in Calcutta in dispute with <i>Raja Anrit Singh</i> and enclosing a letter.	792-3	
Dec. 14, 1779 Fatehgarh.	Letter from Dr. J. Hamilton to H. Castleman, informing that he did not possess any <i>patta</i> or a bill of sale in respect of the aforesaid lands and the house and conveying information about the proprietorship of the property in question.	793-5	
Nil	Petition from the <i>rayats</i> of <i>dihis Ramchandnagar</i> in <i>Barghati</i> , <i>Kedarpah</i> in <i>Magra</i> and <i>Madanmal</i> , complaining about the illegal exactions of the <i>Zamindars</i> with the recommendations of the <i>Diwan</i> .	795-9	
Mar. 30 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	800-18	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Mar. 26 Dayhatta.	Letter from H. Griffiths, Salt Agent of the 24- <i>Parganas</i> , to W. Haverkam, Secretary, intimating that an enquiry is being made into the case of <i>Bhukari Palit</i> for boiling salt without authority, suggesting that <i>Bhukari Palit</i> and others who advanced money to the <i>malangs</i> without authority should pay some portion of the <i>khalar</i> rents and requesting authority to examine all boats proceeding with salt from the 24- <i>Parganas</i> and to stop those without proper <i>rawanas</i> .	800-2	
Mar. 30 Fort William.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting with remarks the last paragraph of the above letter, for their orders.	802-3	

<sup>1</sup> *Diwan* and *Naib Diwan* attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Mar. 30 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	800-18	
Mar. 30 Fort William.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting with remarks the tauzi account of the Calcutta Division for Faldun 1186 B.S. and explaining the reasons for the balances outstanding from the zamindari and the khas mahals of the 24 Parganas, Calcutta, Nadia, Mohuti, Dorechurnan, Sujamutha, Mahisadal, Tamluk, Yusufpur, Sultanpur, Sarfarazpur, Dighra and Hooghly.	803-9	
Nil	Recommendation of the Diwan, suggesting arrangements on the occasion of the Barua festival to prevent exactions by the Faajdar officer.	810	
Nil	Recommendation of the Diwan that a dastak be issued for confining Gorachand Champati, vakil of Kanta Babu, for non payment of Rs. 6,000 due by a pat.	811	
Nil	Petition from Ramacharan Das, Secretary of the Sazawal of Peshkahi and Chaur, complaining that Manohar Das and Mohar Das, Estatees refuse to repay Rs. 1,000 deposited with them and praying for orders.	811-12	
Mar. 30 Fort William.	Letter to the Supreme Board transmitting a cheque of one lakh of rupees on account of the collections of the Calcutta Division	812	
Nil	Petition from the Vakil of the Zamindars of Sayidpur, complaining of the illegal actions of the Faajdar of Hooghly.	812-13	
Nil	Petition from Jagannohan, vakil of the Zamindar of Sayidpur, requesting that his constitution may be authorised to attach the mahatani lands of officers refusing to give a correct account of the collections of the zamindari embezzled by them.	814	
Nil	Petition from the riyats of Maudumal, complaining of the oppressions of H. Griffiths, Salt Agent of the 24 Parganas.	815-16	
[Mar. 30 Fort William.]	Information of the President about the application of Mr. Moore for a patta for 20 bighas 1 katha of land purchased by him from the riyats of Bohalpur.	816	
Nil	Report from the Diwan, recommending that Pir Muhammad be allowed to dig a tank in mauza Chalkhola in Azimabad.	816-17	
Nil	Report from the Diwan, recommending the issue of a dastak for apprehending Durgacharan Misra, Hazir-Zamin of Ramsankar Mutharji, farmer of Balia, to recover balances of revenue due from that pargana.	817	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Apr. 3 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	819-36	B. S. and O. G.'s missing.
Mar. 22 Chitpur.	Letter from J. Prinsep, Chintz Contractor	819-20*	*Pages 819 to 824 of the original volume are worm-eaten and the writing very faded.
Apr. [3 Fort William.]	Letter to the Supreme Board	821*	
Nil	Petition from Humza Ali and others of the twelve-anna division of Dastura and Dundula. [Contents of pages 823 illegible.]	821-2*	
Apr. 3 Fort William.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting certain accounts for Falgun 1186 B.S. [Contents of pages 826-8 illegible.]	825	
Nil	Opinion of the Diwan on the case against Nidhiram Acharji. [Contents of pages 830-1 illegible.]	829	
Nil	Petition from the vakil of Saleh-ud-din Muhammad Khan, requesting that a parwana issued on 31 Jan. 1780 to the Naib of the Zamindars of Jessore, may be rewritten to the Naib of Jessore.	832	
Nil	Petition from Shah Muhammad, requesting a patta for some land given by his mother-in-law.	832-3	
Nil	Petition from the raiyats of pargana Aminpur, representing that Capt. Wood forces them to work as coolies in the Fort.	833-4	
[Apr. 3 Fort William.]	Resolution of the Committee on the foregoing petition.	834-5	
Apr. 6 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>2</sup>	837-53	
[Apr. 6 Fort William.]	Examination of Muhammad Newaz, vakil of Prabburam Malik, with regard to the complaint of the Farmer of Arimabad, against Prabburam, for maintaining Sepoys and creating disturbances in the farm.	837-8	
[Apr. 6 Fort William.]	Motion of T. Law, Member, calling on the Naib Diwan to explain the reasons for not delivering in the Diwan's report on the Golpukuria dispute with the Naib Diwan's reply.	838-9	

<sup>1</sup>J. Shore subpoenaed to the Supreme Court. J. Evelyn indisposed. Naib Diwan attends.  
<sup>2</sup>Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Apr. 6 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	837-53	
Nil	Report of the Divan on balances of revenue due from Nadia, Calcutta, Shahpur, and Bhatpara on account of the kist for Falgun 1186 B.S.	840	
Nil	Petition from Anantaram representing that the Naib of Jessore has started a new bazar close to the old bazar established by him.	840-1	
Nil	Petition from the Zamindars of Sibpur asking for permission to mortgage their mahal so that the Government revenue due may be liquidated.	841	
Nil	Letter from T. Motte, Superintendent of the Police, reporting on the dispute between the owners of ferry boats at Sutanuti and Salkia.	842-3	
Nil	Petition from Kriparam Das, Mulzamin of pargana Amraabad, representing that the local zamindars refuse payment of money advanced to them to pay up Government revenue.	844	
Apr. 6 [Fort William.]	Letter to the Supreme Board transmitting a price current of grain and salt for Magh.	845	
Nil	Petition from the vakil of the Zamindars of Barighati, complaining against certain persons who are obstructing the collection of revenue by his constituent.	846-8	
Nil	Petition from J. P. Agnol requesting a patta for a plot of land in Radhabazar (Calcutta).	849-51	
Nil	Report of Raghunandan Singh, giving the names of persons to whom pattas may be granted	851-2	854 blank.
Apr. 10 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	855-83	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Apr. 10 Cal. Com. Rev.	Report from the Secretary, stating that there appears no claimants to the lands for which publications have been made in favour of persons mentioned in Raghunandan's report and submitting certain papers.	855-6	
Apr. 8	Letter from F. Moresley, intimating that the administration of the estate of Pranbailah Set, deceased, is now vested in his widow and objecting to the application made by Madan Mohan Set for a patta in respect of certain lands which rightfully belong to her.	856	

<sup>1</sup>J. Shore indisposed. Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Apr. 10 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	855-83	
Apr. 8 Calcutta.	Letter from Jamuna Kaur, widow of late Pramballabh Set, objecting to the grant of any pattas to Madan Mohan Set for lands belonging to her deceased husband.	856-7	
Apr. 7	Petition from Harekrishna, vakil of the widow of late Pramballabh Set, making similar objection to the grant of any pattas to Madan Mohan Set, for lands belonging to Pramballabh Set, deceased.	857-8	
[Apr. 10 Fort William.]	Proceedings of the Committee in respect of the claims of Mr. Myer to some lands alleged to have been wrongfully taken possession of by Mrs. M. D'Rozario.	858-9	
Nil	Examination of Raghnath Mangla with regard to the dispute between the people of Salkia and Sutanuti to ply ferry boats on the Ganges.	859-60	
[Apr. 10 Fort William.]	Resolutions of the Committee in the above connection	860-1	
[Apr. 10 Fort William.]	Proceedings of the Committee on the complaint of Ananda Ram directing the Secretary to write to the Naib of Jessore to cause the newly established hat at Sayyidpur to be abolished.	861-2	
Nil	Petition from Barnabayan, Zamindar of muzkuri mahal, requesting that a parwana may be written to the present Naib of High respecting his hat at Herakhan.	862	
[Apr. 10 Fort William.]	Proceedings of the Committee, regarding the claims of Prabhuram Malik to some khumar lands in Azimabad pargana and his authority to entertain Sepoys.	863-5	
Apr. 10 Fort William	Letter to the Supreme Board, stating the circumstances of the dispute between Prabhuram Malik and the farmers of Azimabad over some khumar lands which Prabhuram held at a low rent from the former farmers and under farmers and recommending that the practice of entertaining Sepoys by Prabhuram and other private persons should be effectually put a stop to.	865-71	
Apr. 7 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, enquiring whether the services of Lt. P. Hunter, deputed to protect the farmer of the 13-anna division of Mahmudshahi and to quell the local disturbances, is necessary to be continued.	872	
[Apr. 10 Fort William.]	Letter to the Supreme Board, intimating that the services of the detachment under Lt. P. Hunter is no longer necessary at Mahmudshahi.	873	

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Apr. 10 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee.	855-83	
Apr. 6 Fort William.	Letter from Col. T. D. Pearce to D. Anderson, President of the Calcutta Committee of Revenue, requesting that he may be immediately put in possession of the land purchased for the golandaz corps at Barrackpore.	874-5	
Nil	Report of the Diwan on the result of his investigations into the disputes between Lakshman Singh, Katkanadar of Calcutta pargana, and Safah Ram and Kanai Bagdi.	875-7	
[Apr. 10 Fort William.]	Letter to the Supreme Board, reporting in detail about the disputes between Lakshman Singh, Katkanadar of Calcutta pargana, and Safah Ram and Kanai Bagdi, leading to the two suits filed in the Supreme Court against Lakshman Singh by the two latter persons on charges of false imprisonment.	877-80	
Nil	Petition from the Vakil of Salehuddin Muhammad Khan, Zamindar of Salsidpur, asking for the assistance of the Committee in recovering certain debts due to his master from the farmers of Magura and Shalpur, so that the Government revenue may be paid.	880-1	
Nil	Petition from Ramtani Das of Calcutta, to P. Francis, praying that the road in front of his house may be allowed to stand or sold to him but that no patta should be granted to Ramtani Das for the same.	882-3	884 blank.
Apr. 13 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .	885-909	B.S. and O. C.'s missing.
Apr. 13 Accountant's Office.	Report from the Accountant, giving a statement of the mahals and sons of which the term of leases will expire.	885-6	
Apr. 10 Azamabad.	Letter from W. Richardson, Pulbandi Agent, requesting advances for repair of pails which are in a very bad condition.	887	
Nil	List of places under Calcutta Zillah proposed to be sold to recover balances of revenue due for 1156 B.S.	888-91	
Apr. 7 Calcutta.	Letter from J. Motte, requesting that an amm may be deputed to point out the course of the road from Chitpur to Dum Dum planned by Lord Clive.	892-3	
[Apr. 12 Fort William.]	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting a price current of grain and salt for the month of Falgun.	893-4	

<sup>1</sup>Nab Diwan attends.



Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Apr. 13 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	885-909	
[Apr. 13 Fort William.]	Letter to the Supreme Board, requesting that sanction may be accorded to the entertainment of a Portuguese writer by the Assistant of the President.	893	
4 Baisakh 1186 B.S.	Deposition of Ramlochan, wakil of Manohar Das Fotadar, an inhabitant of Kidderpore, in connection with the theft of money deposited by Ramcharan Das.	896	
4 Baisakh 1186 B.S.	Deposition of Manohar Fotadar, an inhabitant of Kidderpore, in the same connection.	896-7	
[Apr. 13 Fort William.]	Letter to the Supreme Board, stating the difficulties which arise from having the seat of the Calcutta Committee of Revenue within the limits of the town of Calcutta where the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court operates and proposing that the seat of the Calcutta Committee of Revenue may be removed to Chandernagore.	898-902	
Nil	Petition from Debicharan Ghosh, representing that the mother of Azhar Khan, Zamindar of Satsikka, promised to appoint him her Diwan but that he was later seized and ill-treated by Barkatulla.	902-4	
Nil	Petition from the mother of Azhar Khan, Zamindar of Satsikka, stating that Barkatulla was an old and faithful servant but she had applied for his removal at the instigation of certain wicked persons.	904-5	
Nil	Petition from Azhar Khan, Zamindar of Satsikka, reporting the death of his mother.	905-7	
Nil	Petition from Gobindaram Ghosh and Krishna-chandra Ghosh, applying for a new patta for their house in Barabazar (Calcutta).	908	910 blank.
Apr. 14 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	911-42	B. S. and O.C.'s missing.
Apr. 7 Manikuli point.	Letter from Capt. M. Wood, Engineer, stating that the complaints of the rayats of Sangrai are groundless, that they were instigated by the zamindars to prefer such complaints so as to avoid supplying coolies and that he will require about a thousand coolies to complete his work.	911-43	
Apr. 11 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, stating that the officer deputed to Mahmudshahi has been directed to return with his detachment to Calcutta.	914	

<sup>1</sup> J. Shore indisposed. Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Apr. 14 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	911-42	
Apr. 4 Fort William.	Letter from Capt. R. Stewart, Superintendent of the Powder Works, applying for a lease of some 300 bighas of land adjoining his works to afford some additional pasturage for his cattle.	915-16	
Nil	Petition from Raja Krishnachandra of Nadia, representing how the collection of revenue has been obstructed due to the oppressions of the thanadars of new thanas and enclosing a paper.	916-17	
Nil	Translation of a paper, giving particulars about the thanas established within the zamindari of Raja Krishnachandra of Nadia.	917-18	
Nil	Petition from Ramsankar Neogi, Farmer of Boaha, praying that Bhabani Chatterji, his Katkinadar, may be compelled to pay up the arrears of revenue due from him.	919	
Nil	Petition from Shaikh Ghulam Haider, praying that the Collector of Customs may be directed to grant him a rawana for salt manufactured at Golab Chak.	919-20	
Nil	Petition from the raiyats of Ramchandrapur, requesting that the farmer of Baha may be directed to refund the money paid by them for repair of bandhus.	921	
Nil	Petition from Narasinha and Balaram, vakils of Ram Janaki of Mahasadal, stating that Raja Birnarayan, Zamindar of Keoratal, having adduced no proofs in support of his claims to Golpukuria, Ram Janaki may now be put in possession of her property.	922-3	
11 Paush 1187 Vilayati.	Translation of a paper from Kamdeb Basu, Karkun of pargana Mahasadal, etc., in the zamindari of Ram Janaki, making observations on certain accounts and other papers submitted by Gopi Mitra, maharri to Raja Birnarayan, Zamindar of Keoratal.	923-7	
11 Paush 1186 B.S.	Report of the Diwan on the papers produced by Raja Birnarayan of Keoratal in support of his claims to Golpukuria.	927-34	
Nil	Report of the Diwan, submitting certain statements and giving his opinion on the dispute between Ram Janaki and Raja Birnarayan over the possession of Golpukuria.	934-41	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Apr. 14 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	911-42	
Nil	Statement showing in abstract the collections from mauza Golpukuria from 1167 to 1180 B.S.	935-8	
Nil	Statement showing in abstract the quantity of land in mauza Golpukuria from 1167 to 1180 B.S.	938-40	
Apr. 17 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	943-56	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Apr. 13 Camp at Bayawwah.	Letter from Lt.-Col. S. Hampton, Commanding the 1st Brigade, to the President, requesting that directions may be given to provide grain and other necessities for the troops during the march from Berhampore to Calcutta via Krishnagar.	943-4	
Apr. 17 Accountant's Office	Report from the Accountant, submitting a receipt from Raja Ramabchan for 14,748 maunds of salt which was delivered to the Board of Trade with a request that they may be credited in the accounts.	946	
[Apr. 17 Fort William.]	Examination of the Diwan with regard to the dispute over the possession of Golpukuria.	947-8	
[Apr. 17 Fort William.]	Opinion of T. Law, Member, concurring with the Diwan that each party in the suit over the possession of Golpukuria be put in possession of the portion of land agreeable to their tenures previous to the year 1180 [Vilayati].	948-50	J. Cater, H. Richardson and the President agree.
[Apr. 17 Fort William.]	Opinion of J. Evelyn that Kandarpa Das who is in Calcutta may be summoned to appear before the Committee, so as to enable the Committee to ascertain from him whether [W.] Lushington actually passed the decree mentioned by Bimarayan of Keoramal.	951-2	J. Shore declines to give any opinion.
[Apr. 17 Fort William.]	Decision of the Calcutta Committee of Revenue on the dispute over Golpukuria that Raja Bimarayan will obtain that portion which belonged to Keoramal prior to 1180 Vilayati and that Rani Janaki will obtain the portion separated from Mahasadal in 1180 Vilayati.	954	
[Apr. 17 Fort William.]	Report from the Diwan, giving a list of Zamindars who applied for rawanas for salt of 1186 B.S.	954-5	

<sup>1</sup>Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference	Remarks.
Apr. 20 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	957-10 10	B. S. and O.C.'s except No. 3 missing.
[Apr. 20] Fort William.]	Report from the President, giving an account of the charges incurred by the Faupar of Hooghly who wishes them to be inserted in his monthly treasury accounts.	957.8	
[Apr. 20] Fort William.]	Resolutions of the Committee in the above connection.	958	
Apr. 11 Fort William	Letter from the Supreme Board, enclosing a set of regulations for the Administration of Justice in the country stating that the jurisdiction of the Provincial Councils and that of the Superintendents of the Adalats have been clearly defined, intimating that T. D. Campbell has been appointed Superintendent of the Adalat of the Calcutta Division with a salary of Sixca Rs. 1,000 and an allowance of Rs. 300 per month and desiring that he should be called before the Committee and the oath duly administered to him.	959-62	
	Extract from the Proceedings of the Supreme Board dated 28 Mar. laying down certain regulations for the Administration of Justice in the several provinces under them.	962.87 No. 3	
[Apr. 20] Fort William.]	Letter to the Supreme Board, stating that the charge of the Diwan Adalat has been made over to T. D. Campbell and the oath duly administered to him.	989	
Apr. 18 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, approving of the proposal of the Calcutta Committee of Revenue to remove from the local jurisdiction of the Supreme Court and requesting them to fix upon a place for their future residence leaving one of the Members to collect the ground rents and chaukidari tax of the town of Calcutta.	990	
[Apr. 20] Fort William.]	Minute of J. Evelyn, Member, stating that before he accepts the charge of collection of ground rents and chaukidari tax of the town of Calcutta he likes to know whether it is intended that he should vacate his seat in the Committee or he shall have a right to take his seat as usual whenever he shall have time to attend.	991	The Committee agree that J. Evelyn may sit in the Committee when his business permits such attendance.
Apr. 18 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, enclosing a copy of their resolution on the report of Mr. Duncanson regarding the boundaries of the zamindaris of Nadia and Burdwan.	992	

<sup>1</sup>Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Apr. 20 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	957-1010	
	Extract from the proceedings of the Supreme Board dated 18 Apr. containing their resolution on the report of Mr. Duncanson who was deputed to settle the dispute between the Rajas of Nadia and Burdwan over the boundaries of their respective zamindaris.	992-4	
Apr. 14 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, enclosing copy of a petition from Prabhuram Haldar and requesting that he should be released on bail.	995	
Nil	Petition from Prabhuram Haldar, appealing against the action of the Calcutta Committee of Revenue in imprisoning him on account of fictitious arrears of revenue due from his farm of Maidanmal and requesting that orders may be issued for his release on bail.	996-7	
Nil	Report from the Diwan, stating that the Talukdar of Amlabag will not pay the rent due unless a publication is made that the taluk will be sold for arrears of rent due to the Farmer of Mahmudshahi.	997-5	
Nil	Report from the Diwan, pointing out an omission in his report on the dispute over Golpukuria.	998	
Nil	Report from the Diwan, submitting the particulars of the portions of the mahals to be sold for arrears of rent due from the 24 Parganas.	999	
Apr. 17 Calcutta.	Letter from Col. T. D. Pearse and J. Petrie, [Administrators to the Estate of late Lt.-Col. Fortnom], applying for a patta for the ground occupied by the godowns erected by Lt.-Col. Fortnom.	999-1000	
Apr. 20 Fort William.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting the foregoing application from Col. T. D. Pearse and J. Petrie for orders.	1001	
Nil	Substance of a petition from the vakil of Rani Janaki, requesting that a parwana may be issued to put Rani Janaki in possession of the property decreed in her favour.	1001-2	
[Apr. 20 Fort William.]	Opinion of T. Law, Member, that the decree should be executed.	1002	The majority of the Members of the Committee are for suspending the execution of the decree. H. Richardson agrees with T. Law.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Apr. 20 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	957-1010	
Apr. 18 Kulberia.	Letter from H. Griffiths, Agent, for providing salt of the 24 Parganas, to W. Haverkam, Secretary, reporting that the raiyats of Gopalpur mean no longer to be malangis and stating that he pays the usual prices for the articles taken by him.	1003-4	
[Apr. 20 Fort William.]	Letter to the Provincial Council of Revenue at Murshidabad, requesting that the Farmer of khas taluks may be called upon to account for the revenue of certain mauzas which belong to the Farmer of Mahmudabad and that the Supreme Board may be written to for separating these mauzas from the khas taluks.	1005-7	
Nil	Report from the Secretary on the application of Mr. Bell for a patta for his garden at Chowringhee.	1008-10	
Apr. 24 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	1011-32	H. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Nil	Petition from Ramchandra Sarkar of Calcutta, complaining that Rammohan Palit whose garden at Hognakuria in Calcutta was sold at a public sale to the petitioner, trespassed into his garden and ill treated the servants.	1011-13	
15 Baisakh 1187 B.S.	Deposition of Dataram, a servant of Ramchandra Sarkar, stating that he has been driven out of the garden of his master by the people of Rammohan Palit.	1014	
16 Baisakh 1187 B.S.	Deposition of Dulal, gardener to Ramchandra Sarkar, to the same effect.	1014	
15 Baisakh 1187 B.S.	Deposition of Shaikh Gul Muhammad, another servant of Ramchandra Sarkar, to the same effect.	1014-15	
15 Baisakh 1187 B.S.	Deposition of Roshan Khan, another servant of Ramchandra Sarkar to the same purport.	1015	
Apr. 16 Fort William.	Letter from Col. T. D. Pearse, applying for a patta for a garden which he purchased of P. Moore and enclosing a letter.	1016-17	
Apr. 9	Letter from P. Moore, requesting that the accompanying patta may be renewed in favour of Lt.-Col. T. D. Pearse.	1017	
Nil	Petition from Raja Bimarayan, Zamindar of Chakla High, appealing against the decree passed by the Committee respecting Golpukuria.	1018-21	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Apr. 24 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	1011-32	
Apr. 24 [Fort William.]	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting the foregoing petition together with extract from their proceedings thereon.	1021-2	
Apr. 23 Calcutta.	Letter from J. Grant, requesting that the money lent to the Zamindars of pargana Mahati may be paid him out of the sale proceeds of the pargana.	1022-3	
Nil	Letter from W. Johnson, Attorney, representing that Ramsundar Halder has a claim to a fourth part of pargana Jamra which has been mortgaged to Ramsundar Halder by the Zamindar of Mahati.	1023-4	
Nil	Report from the Secretary on the quantity of land registered in the name of Mrs. M. D'Rozario.	1025	
Nil	Report of the Jarib Amin on the same subject	1025-6	
Nil	Report of Gokul Ghosh, pattanayis on the same subject.	1026	
Apr. 24 Fort William.	Letter to the Supreme Board remitting a lakh of rupees.	1027-8	
Nil	Petition from the vakil of the Zamindars of Muhammad Aminpur, complaining that Munchi Taruncharan and Krishna Choudhuri unjustly seized upon a portion of his master's land in mauza Mallebere.	1028-9	
[Apr. 24 Fort William.]	Proceedings of the Committee, deciding that credit cannot be given to Raja Ramnathan for the salt for which he has produced a receipt from the Secretary to the Salt Committee.	1029-30	
[Apr. 24 Fort William.]	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting with remarks the application of Mr. Bell for a patta for some land at Chowringhee.	1031-2	
Apr. 25 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	1033-44	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
[Apr. 25 Fort William.]	Report of the Diwan, stating that the Zamindars of Mahati have applied for rawanas for 3.750 maunds of salt the sale proceeds of which is to be credited towards payment of revenue.	1033	
[Apr. 25 Fort William.]	Report of the Diwan, requesting that a dastak may be issued for imprisoning the malzamin of the [Calcutta] bazars for arrears of rent.	1034	

U. Shore and T. Law indisposed. Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Apr. 25 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	1033-44	
Apr. 24 Kulberia.	Letter from H. Griffiths, Agent for providing salt of the 24 Parganas, enclosing with remarks a statement.	1034-5	
Nil	Statement showing the advances made in 1186 B. S. by Ramlochan Palit for salt in pargana Calcutta.	1036	
[Apr. 25 Fort William.]	Report from the Diwan, stating that a dastak may be issued to oblige the late Farmer of Belinghata to deliver to the present Farmer the accounts of the collections of the previous year.	1037	
Nil	Substance of a petition from Padmalochan Sen, Farmer of Pagladanga, representing that unless he is furnished with the accounts of the collections of the previous year he cannot ascertain the sum which should be exacted from the hyaparis and raiyats.	1037	
Nil	Petition from the Zamindars and the Talukdars of the 24 Parganas, asking for time to liquidate their balances of revenues.	1038	
Nil	Petition from Raja Srikantha Ray, reporting that he dismissed his naib Baidyanath Mitra and appointed Rupram in his place and requesting that the former may be sent to the mufassal under a guard to render the necessary accounts	1038-9	Writing of pages 1038-9 faded.
Nil	Petition from Baidyanath Mitra, praying that to avoid disgracing him he may be released on furnishing a creditable security for his appearance instead of being sent to the mufassal under a guard and undertaking to pay whatever amount may be found due from him.	1039-40	
[Apr. 25 Fort William.]	Examination of the Vakil of Baidyanath [Mitra] in connection with the adjustment of the latter's accounts with Raja Srikantha Ray.	1040-1	
[Apr. 25 Fort William.]	Examination of the Vakil of Srikantha Ray in the same connection.	1041-2	
Nil	Petition from Krishnananda, requesting that the account of the advances for salt of Parbati, his jungalbari taluk, may be adjusted.	1043-4	



Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Apr. 27 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	1045-61	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Apr. 26 Calcutta.	Letter from H. Honeycomb, Attorney for Ramlochan Mukharji, and Gopi Mandal, intimating that Gobinda Prasad Chaudhuri, Zamindar, has already mortgaged his eight-anna share in parganas Pahiati [Maihati ?] and Belinda ordered to be sold for arrears of revenue, to his clients.	1045-6	
.... ]	Letter* from M. Wood, requesting that orders may be issued to certain zamindars to supply him with coolies necessary for the public works.	1046-7	*The concluding portion of the letter containing "the date" and "place of issue" torn.
Nil	Petition from the Zamindars of Muhammad Aminpur, representing the oppressions committed by Capt. M. Wood on their rayats.	1048-9	
Apr. 27 Calcutta.	Petition from Ramlochan Mukharji, applying for a piece of khamar land in dihi Calcutta.	1049	
Nil	Petition from Gobinda Prasad Chaudhuri, Zamindar of kurnat pargana Maihati, complaining of the depredations committed by his servants in the mufassal and the abduction and wrongful confinement of his son.	1049-50	
Nil	Petition from the Zamindars of Magura, complaining that their Katkinadar Ramlochan Palit has absconded after misappropriating Rs. 4,200 out of Government revenue and praying that the latter's salt lying in the mufassal may be attached to realise the necessary amount.	1051-2	
Apr. 27 Fort William.	Letter to the Supreme Board, intimating about the applications made by certain attorneys about mortgages held by their clients on the zamindaris advertised for sale.	1053-4	
Apr. 25 Govt. Custom House, Calcutta.	Letter from H. Scott, Deputy Collector of Government Customs, enclosing with remarks a petition.	1055	
Nil	Petition from some merchants of Calcutta, representing that although they were provided with rawanas their goods were stopped at different stations and money exacted from them.	1055-6	
	Defence from Ramsundar Mitra, Bakhshi, stating that there is no further necessity of a legal suit against Srikanta Ray, Zamindar of Jessore, as they have decided to settle the case between themselves.	1056-7	

1/1. Shore indisposed. Diwan and Najib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Apr. 27 Port William.	Minutes of the Committee	1045-61	
Nil	Petition from Mukundaram Mandal of Muragachha, representing that the Salt Collector of the Committee has stopped his salt manufactured at Barihati.	1058	
Nil	Petition from the Zamindars of Hogla, representing about the oppressions committed by the peons of the Jessore Adalat on his raiyats and complaining that Srikanta [Ray], the Zamindar of Jessore, has established new mahals detrimental to garkati, jalkar and wax mahal established in his zamindari for a long time.	1058-60	
Nil	Report of the Diwan about a petition from the byaparis of Beliaghata, complaining about the stoppage of their boats transporting salt.	1061	1062-3 Blank.
Jan. 5 Calcutta.	*Account Current of Srikanta Ray with Madan Mohan Datta on account of Jessore salt for 1185 B.S.	1064-7†	All O. C.'s missing.
Jan. 5 Calcutta.	*Statement showing the losses occasioned to Madan Mohan Datta on account of the Jessore salt farms contrary to the stipulated terms of the contract and the purwana of the Calcutta Committee of Revenue.	1068-9†	
Jan. 5 Calcutta.	*Account current of Srikanta Ray with Madan Mohan Datta.	1070†	
25 Paush 1186 B.S. Calcutta.	*Another Account Current of Srikanta Ray with Madan Mohan Datta.	1071†	
25 Paush 1186 B.S. Calcutta.	*Account of Srikanta Ray, Katkanadar of Yusufpur, etc., on the name of his brother Gopinath Ray, for 1183 B.S.	1072-3†	
25 Paush 1186 B.S. Calcutta.	*Account of Srikanta Ray, Zamindar of Yusufpur, etc., with Madan Mohan Datta.	1074†	
Jan. 19 Calcutta Committee of Revenue.	‡Statement showing the law charges of the Calcutta Committee of Revenue from Nov. 1774 to Dec. 1779.	1075-7†	
Jan. 19 Calcutta Committee of Revenue.	‡Statement showing the losses or interruptions to revenue occasioned by suits instituted against the Calcutta Committee of Revenue.	1078†	

\*Read in consultation dated 10th January 1780.

†Appendices for January 1780.

‡Read in consultation dated 19th January 1780.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Nil	*Statement showing the settlement, remissions, collections and balances of the revenue of the Calcutta Division for the five years ending with 1183 B.S.	1079†	All O. C.'s missing.
Nil	*Statement giving particular explanation of amount remitted from the balances of the Diwani lands under the Calcutta Committee of Revenue.	1080-3†	
Nil	*Statement giving particular explanation of amount remitted from balances of the ceded lands under the Calcutta Committee of Revenue.	1084-5†	
Nil	*Statement showing recoverable balances due from the Diwani lands under the Calcutta Committee of Revenue.	1086-7†	
Nil	*Statement showing irrecoverable balances [due from the Diwani lands under the Calcutta Committee of Revenue].	1088-9†	
Nil	*Statement showing doubtful balances [due from the Diwani lands under the Calcutta Committee of Revenue].	1090†	1091 blank.
Jan. 17 Calcutta Committee of Revenue.	*Statement showing the jama-wasil baki of salt for the five years from 1179 to 1183 B.S.	1092-5†	1096 blank.
Feb. 11 Calcutta Committee of Revenue.	§Account showing the balance of revenue for 1185 B.S. and the collections made on that account.	1097‡	All O. C.'s missing.
Feb. 11 Accountant's Office.	§Statement giving explanations for the balances of revenue due on account of 1185 B.S.	1098-104‡	1105-26 contain index for January. 1127-48 contain index for February. 1147-76 contain index for March.
May. 1 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	7-203	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Nil	Petition from Ram Ray and other Talukdars of Chanak, praying that an amil may be appointed for realising the balances of revenue due from the raiyats of Aimgachhi and for recovering the value of paddy of 200 bighas of land forcibly carried away by Haricharan Ray and other inhabitants of Khaspur.	1177-8	

\*Read in consultation dated 17th January 1780.

†Appendices for January 1780.

‡Appendices for February 1780.

§Read in consultation dated 11th February 1780.

<sup>1</sup> H. Richardson indisposed. Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
May 1 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	1177-203	
Nil	Report from the Diwan, intimating that a balance of Rs. 1,507 is due from Rajballabh and Debicharan, Farmers of Ghar and that they claim Rs. 400 from H. Griffiths, Salt Agent of the 24 Parganas, on account of advance made to the malangis.	1178	
Nil	Report of the Diwan about balances of revenue due from Balia and the proposals of the farmer for repayment of the same.	1179-80	
Apr. 28	Letter from W. Johnson, Attorney-at-law, enquiring whether the Committee can help his client Ramsankar Halder in recovering a mortgaged property since advertised for sale.	1180-1	
Nil	Representation from the Diwan regarding balances of revenue due from the Farmer of Azimabad.	1181-2	
Nil	Petition from Hamza Ali and the Vakil for the other partners of villages Dasturia and Dandania, complaining that Ghulam Rasool and Satkari have embezzled money collected in the mafassal and requesting orders how they should recover the money paid on account of revenue as a four-anna share of the villages is going to be sold.	1182-3	
Nil	Petition from Kaliprasad Datta, an inhabitant of Baha, furnishing particulars about his claims against certain malangis and praying for adoption of steps to enforce payment of anna or annas that may be found due to him on enquiry.	1183-4	
Nil	Recommendation of the Diwan that the Zamindar of Jessore confined for arrears of revenue may be permitted to return to his zamindari.	1185	
Nil	Reports of the Diwan regarding balances of revenue due from Narsingh Deo, Zamindar of Magra, giving details and suggesting measures for recovery of the same.	1186-8	
May 1 Calcutta.	Letter from J. Cator, Acting Trustee to the children of R. Barwell, requesting attested copies of patta of all properties of R. Barwell in Calcutta.	1189-90	
Nil	Petition from the raiyats of Mirzapore in Calcutta, complaining that Shaikh Jainuddin, Farmer of the place, is unjustly demanding annas twelve for each bullock instead of annas ten fixed by the Committee.	1190-1	
Nil	Representation by the vakil of Narsingh Deo, claiming a remission of Rs. 2,450 alleged to have been spent in pulbandi work.	1192-3	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
May 1 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	1177-303	
Nil	Report of the Jarib Amin about 19 cottahs of khamar land in dihi Calcutta applied for by Ramlochan Mukharji.	1194	
Apr. 30 Manikbali point.	Letter from Capt. M. Wood, Engineer, denying the allegations made against him by the Zamindars of Muhammad Aminpur and requesting that an enquiry may be held in the matter.	1195-7	
Nil	Petition from Baidyanath Mitra, former officer under the Zamindar of Yusufpur, furnishing the names of persons willing to stand hazir-zamin for his release.	1198-9	
Nil	Petition from Ninnarayan Mitra, reporting on the value, etc., of a cottah of khamar land applied for by Janardan Thakur.	1199-200	
Nil	Petition from Manikram Das, Farmer of Panchannagram, requesting that the rents of the garden houses erected in his farm by certain European gentlemen may be collected by the Government and that he may be granted a proportionate reduction of revenue.	1200-1	
Nil	List of taluks sold for arrears of revenue.	1202	
May 4 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	1204-222	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Nil	Petition from Raja Rajballabh, explaining the reasons why he should not be held responsible for the rents of Golaganj.	1204-6	
Nil	Petition from Ganganarayan Ghosh, requesting a patta for Jhil Dankunia, agreeing to pay rent at annas eight per bigha.	1206	
Nil	Petition from Ramlochan Banarji, representing why the jhil at Dankunia, included in his jama prior to the erection of a camp there, should be granted to him, agreeing to pay an enhanced rent at annas twelve per bigha and alternatively praying for lands in exchange for that appropriated by the camp.	1206-7	
Nil	Petition from Ramananda Agradani of Chanak in Calcutta, complaining that the talukdar is unjustly demanding an increased rate of revenue for his mahals and has confined his servants.	1208-9	

<sup>1</sup>President D. Anderson, H. Richardson and T. Law indisposed. Diwan and Naib Diwan absent.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
May 4 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	1204-222	
Nil	Petition from Matiram, Vakil of Babu Matiram, complaining that the Zamindar of Satsikka has sold the crops of mahattran lands of his client and praying that a peon may be sent with a parwana to compel the Zamindar to refund the price of the crops.	1210	
Nil	Similar petition from Sham Das	1210	
May 4 Cal. Com. Rev. Fort William.	Letter to the Supreme Board, soliciting instructions regarding realisation of arrears of revenue due from the Zamindars of Mahati in view of certain claims preferred against the Zamindars by unregistered bondholders.	1212-15	
Nil	Petition from Nanda Kumar, Farmer of Azimabad, requesting that Prabhuram Malik, farmer of the place, may be obliged to pay the balance of revenue due from him.	1215-16	
Nil	Petition from Ramhari Thakur, requesting that the khazanchi of the Committee may be directed to receive Rs. 6,100 from him being the price of the zamindari of Murgachiha sold to him at a public auction and praying that he may be put in possession of the same.	1217-19	
Nil	Complaint from certain raiyats of Madhyana and other places in pargana Magura that the farmer is making illegal demands on account of izaradari, mangan, jail salami, etc.	1219	
Nil	Complaints of raiyats of taraf Sasan, taluk of Murza Saleh, against the Katkinadar Krishnacharan with the resolutions of the Committee.	1219-20	
Nil	Complaints of the raiyats of Magura against Ram Ray and Raghunath Ray, Zamindars, about illegal exactions made by them and the resolutions of the Committee in that connection.	1220-1	
May 4 Cal. Com. Rev.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting a chalan for one lakh of rupees on account of the collections of the Committee.	1221-2	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
May 6 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	1223-42	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
May 2 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, directing to report on the quantity and value of the land required by J. Prinsep, to enforce the Committee's demand on the Zamindar of Jessore, on account of the Salt farm of Raymangal, etc., for 1185 B.S., agreeing to the proposal for establishing a ferry at Chupikhana by J. Prinsep and to the continuance of J. Pedro in the possession of the jagir of villages Digra, etc., directing the enforcement of the demands on those who are in arrears of their garden and land revenues and chankidari taxes, agreeing to the claims of the late salt contractors for remissions being referred to arbitration authorising the Committee to register or confirm the sale or mortgage of portions of taluks to prevent sale by public auction for arrears of revenue, to allow H. Griffiths to stop and examine boats passing without rawanas and to include Bhatpara in the patta granted to J. Prinsep, conveying instructions regarding the Sepoys at Azimabad and other matters.	1223-9	
[May 6 Fort William.]	Orders issued by the Committee in pursuance of the above letter from the Supreme Board.	1229-32	
May 2 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, directing the Committee to conclude the settlement for the year on the terms already prescribed and to close the annual accounts as ordered.	1232-3	
[May 6 Fort William.]	Orders issued by the Committee in consequence of the above letter.	1233-5	
May 4 Calcutta.	Petition from Madan Datta, Salt Contractor, Jessore, requesting that Srikantha Ray, Zamindar of Jessore, may be directed to supply him with rawanas for disposing of 50,000 maunds of salt.	1236-7	
[May 6 Fort William.]	Report of the President, intimating that the Governor-General desires help being rendered to Col. Watson for his works from the 24 Parganas and the neighbouring districts, submitting a list of the zamindars with the number of coolies each may supply and suggesting the issue of parwanas to the zamindars to supply the necessary coolies to Col. Watson accordingly.	1237-9	

— J. Shord, H. Richardson and J. Cator indisposed. Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
May 6 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	1233-43	
[May 6 Fort William.]	Report of the Diwan regarding balances of revenue due from Kriparam, Malzamin of Amirabad.	1239	
Nil	Petition from Rajchandra, Zamindar of the ten-anna division of Muhammad Aminpur, complaining that he has been dispossessed of Seri, Ghireti, Champda, etc., under pargana Boro by Sir Eyre Coote and praying that either possession of the said villages may be restored to him or the jama be reduced accordingly.	1239-40	
Nil	Report of the Diwan, on balances of revenue due from Muhammad Aminpur.	1240-1	
Nil	Recommendation of the Diwan that a fresh dastak be issued against the Zamindar of Mahati for balances of revenue due from him.	1242	
May 8 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	1243-62	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
[May 8 Fort William.]	Proceedings of the Committee in connection with the claims of the Zamindars of Muhammad Aminpur for remissions of revenue.	1243-50	
[May 8 Fort William.]	Report of the President, regarding claims of the Lama to certain lands in the zamindari of Muhammad Aminpur.	1246-8	
Nil	Report of the Jarib Amin reporting about the value of 4 chataks of khamar land in mauza Bazar Calcutta, applied for by Loknath Ghosh.	1251	
Nil	Petition from the raiyats of Sitakundu in pargana Madanmahal complaining about the illegal demands of Talukdar Krishnacharan Mitra, with the proposals of the Diwan about the steps to be taken in that connection.	1252-4	
Nil	Petition from the raiyats of mauza Eara under Calcutta against Talukdar Radhacharan Banarji with the remarks of the Diwan.	1254-6	Similar petition from the raiyats of Serampore under Magra against the Talukdar.
Nil	Petition from Jagannohan Sen, Farmer of the khas mahals of the 24-Parganas, representing that his security has been unjustly confined for balances of revenue properly due from Ramlochan Palit, Katkinadar of the zamindari mahals of the 24-Parganas.	1256-8	

<sup>1</sup>H. Richardson indisposed. Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.



Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
May 8 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	1243-02	
Nil	Report of the Diwan on an arzi of Ghulam Haider, Salt Contractor of Dorodumnan, recommending release of the salt belonging to the latter attached by the Government.	1259	
Nil	Petition from the widow of Kowrani of dihi Calcutta, objecting to the grant of a patta for 4 cottahs of land applied for by Sahabuddin Serang as she is the owner of a half share of the said land.	1259-61	
[May 8 Fort William.]	Report of the Secretary about the grant of a patta to Mrs. Anthony for her house in Lal Bazar.	1261	
— — —	Minutes of the Committee, regarding sale to Kismata Muragachha, Sarfarazpur, and Khaspur for arrears of revenue.	1261-2	
May 10 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee " .. ..	1263-81	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
[May 10 Fort William.]	Opinion of J. Shore, Member, on the petition of Madan Datta, Salt Farmer of Jessore, praying for rawanas for his salt.	1263	J. Evelyn and J. Cator agree.
[May 10 Fort William.]	Opinion of D. Anderson, President, in the same connection.	1264	
[May 10 Fort William.]	Opinion of T. Law, Member, in the same connection.	1264	
[May 10 Fort William.]	Proceedings of the Committee about the appointment of arbitrators to settle the dispute between the salt contractors of the 24 Parganas and the Government.	1265-7	
Nil	Proposals received for the farming of Azimganj.	1267-8	
Nil	Report of the Diwan on the petition of Darganarayan Sarkar, Bhabani Charan Ray and Pir Muhammad Chubdar for lands to dig tanks.	1268-70	
Nil	Report of the Diwan on lands appropriated by the road constructed by S. Touchet.	1270-1	
[May 10 Fort William.]	Proceedings of the Committee dealing with the above report of the Diwan.	1272-3	

<sup>1</sup> H. Richardson, J. Cator and T. Law indisposed. Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
May 10 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	1263-81	
May 8 Powder Works.	Letter from R. Stewart, Superintendent of the Powder Works, informing in detail about the road constructed by him through Balia and Magura parganas and requesting that the renters of these parganas may be warned to take care of the road and that deduction may be allowed to them for lands acquired in this connection.	1273-7	
Nil	Report* of the Diwan about lands acquired for the road constructed by R. Stewart, Superintendent of the Powder Works.	1277-8	*Not entered in the proceedings, though blank space is left here.
Nil	Petition from Raja Anandanarayan, Zamindar of Tamluk, complaining that his co-sharer Rani Krishnapriya is oppressing his raiyats and encroaching on his properties.	1278-80	
May 11 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	1282-309	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
[May 11 Fort William.]	Minute of the President, D. Anderson, relative to grant of pattas to persons producing bills of sale for lands purchased by them, appending opinions of the Company's Councils in this connection.	1282-3	
Aug. 25, 1779 Fort William.	Letter from W. L. Lawrence, Counsel to E. I. Company, to N. Naylor, Attorney to E. I. Company, giving his opinion on the above subject.	1283-5	
Aug. 26, 1779	Letter from C. Newman, Counsel, to E. I. Company, [to N. Naylor, Attorney to E. I. Company,] in the same connection.	1285-8	
[May 11 Fort William.]	Minute of the President, D. Anderson, about the difficulties and loss of revenue caused by sale of lands to Europeans by the Farmers of Panchannagram and the 24 Parganas, and suggesting that J. Evelyn may be instructed not to grant pattas confirming such sales.	1288-90	Also signed by J. Cator and T. Law.
Nil	Petition from Padmalochan, Farmer of Belia-ghata, complaining about the hazard established by Mr. Wordie to the prejudice of his fair revenue.	1291	
May 9	Letter from W. Johnson, Attorney-at-law, for Madan Mohan Set and Narahari Set, grandsons of Pranballabh Set, deceased, objecting to the grant of pattas for the properties of the said Pranballabh Set applied for by his widow Jamuna, and enclosing certain papers.	1292-4	

\* J. Shore and H. Richardson indisposed. Diwan and Nab Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
May 11 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	1282-309	
Nil	Report submitted by W. Johnson, Attorney-at-law, giving particulars about the family and estate of Pranballabh Set, deceased, of Calcutta, and of his heirs now in possession of the estate.	1294-300	
Nil	Petition from Madan Mohan Set and Narahari Set, grandsons of Pranballabh Set, deceased, applying for a fresh patta for a house in bazar Calcutta on 1 bigha 4 cottahs of land.	1300-2	
[May 11 Fort William.]	Proceedings of the Committee in connection with the enquiry into the complaint of Ramhari Thakur about the sale of a portion of Hiram's taluk in Muragachha.	1302-5	
Nil	Joint report of the Naib Diwan and Raj Chandra, Sarishtadar, about the sale of Hiram's taluk in Muragachha as stated above.	1303-4	
Nil	Petition from the widow of Salehuddin Muhammad Khar, Zamindar of Sayidpur, stating the circumstances how her former peshkar Lakshminarayan Palit guilty of embezzlement of her money has been forcibly carried away by the Faujdar of Hooghly and praying that the latter may be directed to release him and to refrain from harassing her similarly.	1305-6	
Nil	Petition from Ramkishor Das, complaining that he has been dispossessed of his taluks by the Zamindar of the three-anna division and that his house has been plundered by Debi Deo, brother of Bishnuram Deo, Naib of the said Zamindar.	1306-8	
May 12 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	1310-34	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
May 11	Letter from J. Prinsep, Chintz Contractor, to W. Haverkam, Secretary, enclosing a list.	1310	
Nov. 10, 1779 Patla.	Table of rates proposed to be levied on persons, carriages, animals, etc., using the Chipikhana ferry.	1311-12	
Nil	Petition from Raja Ramlochan Ray addressed to the Supreme Board, representing his claims against the Zamindars of Maihati on account of loans advanced by his father and himself and praying that orders issued for the sale of the Maihati zamindari for arrears of revenue may be either rescinded or that such sale be made subject to the mortgages held by him, or that he may be put in possession of the zamindari and proper sanads therefor may be granted to him undertaking to pay the balances already due as well as the stipulated rent or jama paid by the present Zamindars.	1312-16	

<sup>1</sup> H. Richardson and J. Evelyn indisposed. Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
May 12 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	1310-34	
May 12 (Fort William.)	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting with remarks the above petition of Raja Ramlochan Ray for orders.	1317-18	
May 9 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, transmitting with remarks a report for the information and guidance of the Committee.	1318-19	
May 7 Fort William.	Report made to the Supreme Board by A. Duncanson, stating the manner in which the boundaries of villages Pranpur and Matapur have been fixed in settlement of the dispute between the Rajas of Burdwan and Nadia.	1319-22	
May 12 Fort William.	Letter from S. Tolfrey, Attorney-at-law, to W. Haverkam, Secretary, requesting that the arbitrator proposed for the settlement of the claims of Balam Mitra and Ramgobinda Mitra, salt contractors of the 24 Parganas, may be appointed early, and enclosing a letter.	1322-3	
May 12	Letter of authority proposed to be written by Balam Mitra and Ram Gobinda Mitra to S. Tolfrey, instructing the Counsel to apply to the Supreme Court to dismiss the suit filed by them against the East India Company, J. Clavering, G. Vansittart and H. Cottrell, with costs.	1323-4	
[May 12 Fort William.]	Proceedings of the Committee in pursuance of the above letter of S. Tolfrey, Attorney-at-law.	1324-6	
Nil	Report of the Diwan on the suitability of the huzir zamans tendered by Baidyanath Mitra, [formerly an officer of the Zamindar of Yusufpur], for his release.	1326-7	
Nil	Report of the Diwan on petitions of Ramlochan Baidary and Ganganarayan Ghosh for patta for the bilat Dankuma.	1328-9	
Nil	List of prisoners confined for arrears of revenue, submitted by the Nazir.	1330-2	
May 12 C. C. R. Fort William.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting with a chalan a remittance of Rs. 1,25,000 on account of the collections of the Calcutta Division.	1333	
May 12 [Fort William.]	Letter to the Supreme Board, intimating that the Committee is removing to Hooghly, that J. Evelyn has been placed in charge of the collections of the town of Calcutta and that a remittance of Rs. 1,25,000 has been made to them.	1333-4	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
May 15 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	1335-44	B. S. and J. C.'s missing.
Nil	Representation from Ramananda Sarma, amin deputed to Dasturia, etc., about the difficulties experienced by him in prosecuting his enquiry due of the obstructions caused by the local Zamindars.	1335-6	
May 15 Hooghly.	Letter from H. Richardson and T. Law, deputed to adjust the accounts between the Zamindar and the Katkinadar of Jessore, returning the papers, etc., of the case as their services are no longer required in that connection due to the Supreme Board's orders to decide the matter by arbitration.	1337-8	
Nil	Representation from the Diwan, requesting that his son Prankrishna Singh may be allowed to act for him whenever the contingencies of public service may necessitate his presence at Calcutta.	1338-9	
May 15 Hooghly.	Letter to the Supreme Board, soliciting their approval to Prankrishna Singh acting in the place of his father as the Diwan of the Committee as requested above by the Diwan.	1339-40	
May 14 Calcutta.	Letter from W. Wordie to W. Haverkam, Secretary, replying to the allegation of having irregularly erected a bazar near Beliaghata.	1340-1	
Nil	Petition from the fish-merchants of Calcutta to P. Francis, Member of the Supreme Board, complaining of the oppressions and extortions of the gumashta of Hogra pargana.	1342-4	
May 18 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	1345-62	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
May 16	Account, submitted by the President, of collections made by the Diwan from the different parganas on account of 1186 B.S.	1345-62	
[May 18 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee regarding appointment of arbitrators to adjust the accounts between Srikanta Ray, Zamindar, and Madan Datta, Katkinadar, of Jessore.	1354-6	
Nil	Petition from Kalisankar, Zamindar of Maidanfal, complaining about the oppressions committed on his raiyats by the officers of the Faujdar of Chitpur.	1356-7	
[May 18 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee regarding duties collected on fish at Bhawanpur and Beltala by the farmer to the prejudice of Major Tolly's Canal.	1357-8	

<sup>1</sup> J. Shore and J. Cator indisposed. Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.<sup>2</sup> J. Shore and J. Cator indisposed. Naib Diwan attends.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
May 18 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	1345-63	
Nil	Petition from Krishnananda Sarkar, Talukdar of the parbalari mahals in Jessore, complaining about oppressions by the local Zamindar.	1360-1	
Nil	Report of the Naib Diwan about the complaint of the Zamindars of Mahmudshahi against Abhaycharan, naib of the late khazanchi, for misappropriating Rs. 2,175 out of their revenue.	1361-2	
May 22 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	1363-89	B. S. and O. C's missing.
May 21	Letter from T. D. Campbell, Superintendent of the Calcutta Diwani Adalat, transmitting with remarks a draft for Sicca Rs. 5,000 for defraying the salaries of the officers of the said Adalat and two bills for his salary and house rent for the months of April and May amounting to Sicca Rs. 2,000.	1363-4	
May 16 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, recommending that the farm of Azimganj in Hooghly may be settled with Hari Ghosh for five years on his furnishing a suitable security and enclosing a petition.	1364-5	
May 16 Calcutta.	Letter from Prabhuram Mallik to the Supreme Board, complaining of the illegal demands and oppressions of Nanda Kumar Sarkar, the new farmer of Azimabad pargana.	1365-7	
Nil	A statement of the jama and collections for the years 1182 to 1186 B.S., submitted by the Diwan to the Committee.	1368	
May 22 Hooghly.	Letter to the Supreme Board, reporting on the above petition of Prabhuram Mallik.	1370-2	
May 16 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, enclosing copy of a letter from H. Griffiths, Salt Agent of the 24-Parganas and intimating the conditions on which the request contained therein has been complied with.	1372-3	
May 8 Bishnupur.	Letter from H. Griffiths, Salt Agent of the 24-Parganas, pointing out the disadvantages of selling salt manufactured for ready money and requesting permission to dispose of the same by private sale.	1374-6	
May 16 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, authorising the sale of a portion of the zamindari of Maihati to realise balances of revenue due from the Zamindars of that place.	1377	

<sup>1</sup>The Naib Diwan attends.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
May 22 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee	1363-89	
May 22 C. P. C. Hooghly.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting the price-current of grain and salt in the Calcutta Division for Chaitra 1186 B.S.	1379-80	
Nil	Report of the Diwan regarding lands acquired for the road constructed by S. Touchet and suggesting that an amin may be deputed to prepare a proper account of any further lands that may be required for the purpose.	1391-2	
May 22 Hooghly.	Letter from W. Haverkam, Secretary, to S. Touchet, requesting him to send a person to attend the amin deputed to ascertain what further lands may be necessary for constructing his road.	1382-3	
May 22 Hooghly.	Letter to the Provincial Council of Revenue at Murshidabad, requesting an early reply to the Committee's letter of 20 April regarding the balances of revenue due from the farmer of the khas taluks of the Murshidabad Division to the Zamindar and the Farmer of Mahmudshahi under the Calcutta Division.	1383-5	
[May 22 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee in connection with the grant of a sanad to Pedro Georgia continuing him in his jagir of villages Digra, etc., in Murshidabad for his life time.	1385	
Nil	Petition from Ashman Singh and other bar-kandazes employed by Gobindaram, Zamindar of Mathari, in his topkhana, complaining that the Zamindar has neither paid their allowances nor repaid money borrowed from them on a bond.	1386-7	
Nil	Report of the Diwan, requesting the issue of a dastak against the Zamindar of Sujamutha to enforce payment of revenue due up to the end of Chaitra 1186 B.S.	1389	
May 25 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	1390-423	B. S. and O. C's missing.
[May 25 Hooghly.]	Minute of the President, pointing out the irregular way in which a portion of the zamindari of Jayram Ray was sold twice and explaining the steps since taken to rectify the mistake.	1390-2	
[May 25 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee, accepting the proposal of Sibprasad Ghosh for farming village Hajinagar at the jama of the preceding year.	1393	

<sup>1</sup> J. Shore and J. Cator indisposed. Naib Diwan attends.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
May 25 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee	1390-433	
May 25 Hooghly.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting a chalan for one lakh of rupees on account of the collections of the Calcutta Division.	1394	
May 24 Fort William.	Letter from Col. T. D. Pearce, Officer Commanding, Artillery Brigade, praying for pattas for certain lands and also requesting that the small strip of land between a nala and a bandh adjoining his lands may be granted to him.	1395-6	
Nil	List, submitted by the Diwan, of portions of taluks sold for arrears of revenue for 1186 B.S.	1397-8	
Nil	Petition from Rajchand Ray and Kalprasad Ray, Zamindars respectively of the ten-anna and the six-anna divisions of Muhammad Aminpur, complaining about the oppressions by Danish gumasthas.	1400-1	
Nil	Petition from Nandakishor Ray and his son Radhanath Ray, Zamindars of seven-anna division of Sarfarazpur, praying that an enquiry may be made about the illegal collections from rayats, irregular sale of their properties, plunder of their house, murder and other atrocities committed by their security Ramlochan (Ghosh).	1401-4	
Nil	List of articles plundered from the house of Nandakishor Ray, Zamindar of Sarfarazpur, on Wednesday 5 Chaitra 1186 B.S. by men of Ramlochan.	1404-6	
Nil	Petition from Ramlochan Ghosh, security for the Zamindars of Sarfarazpur, complaining how Radhanath (Ray) and others assaulted his shukdar and peon and forcibly misappropriated the collections.	1406-8	
Nil	Petition from Prankrishna Ray, nephew of Nandakishor Ray, Zamindar of seven-anna division of pargana Sarfarazpur, complaining about the various atrocities committed by their security Ramlochan Ghosh.	1408-11	
Nil	Petition from Nandakishor Ray and Prankrishna Ray, Zamindars of seven-anna division of Sarfarazpur, citing further instances of oppression by their security Ramlochan (Ghosh).	1412-13	
10 Jyaishtha 1187 B. S.	Report of the Diwan about the dispute over the possession of village Kukuria between Narang Deo and Bedyadhar.	1413-16	



Date and from	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
May 25 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	1390-423	
Nil	Petition from Jaynarayan Singh, Farmer of dihi Bhatpara, complaining that some mandals have defaulted and the gundatha of the seven-anna division of the said village has not rendered the accounts up to the end of Agrahayan 1186 B.S. and seeking for necessary relief from the Committee as these men are being protected by the servants of J. Prinsep.	1417-18	
Nil	Report of Khan Jahan Khan, Faujdar of Hooghly, explaining the circumstances in which he released Lakshminarayan Palit from the custody of the widow of Saleh-ud-din Muhammad Khan, Zamindar of Saraidpur.	1418-20	
Nil	Petition from the widow of Saleh-ud-din Muhammad Khan, Zamindar of Saraidpur, complaining that the Faujdar of Hooghly has released Lakshminarayan Palit, her peashkar, from her custody and praying that Lakshminarayan may be compelled to pay up monies misappropriated by him.	1420-2	
Nil	Proposals received for the farming of hats and bazars of Calcutta.	1422-3	
May 29 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	1424-49	B.S. and O.C.'s missing.
May 27 Calcutta.	Letter from S. Touchet, enclosing with remarks an abstract account of lands acquired for the road constructed by him.	1424-6	
Nil	Abstract of an account of lands acquired for constructing a road by S. Touchet.	1426-7	
[May 20 Hooghly.]	Representation made by J. Evelyn about additional establishment necessary for managing the business of collections, etc., at Calcutta.	1427	
May 29 Hooghly.	Letter to the Supreme Board, soliciting sanction for a recurring expenditure of Rs. 255 for additional establishment for J. Evelyn in charge of the collection, etc., at Calcutta.	1428-30	
May 25 Murshadabad.	Letter from the Provincial Council of Revenue at Murshadabad, intimating that the agents of the farmer of the khas taluks have assured that the demands of the Zamindar and the Farmer of Mahmudshahi on account of Kulberia and Mathurapur will be paid by their principal in Calcutta and that that Council have no objections to these mahals being transferred to the Calcutta Division.	1430-1	

U. Shore and J. Jator indisposed. Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
May 29 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee	1424-49	
[May 29 Hooghly.]	Minute of J. Evelyn, submitting a list of papers required by him and requesting permission to draw his allowance out of the collections of the Town of Calcutta.	1432-3	
May 27 Calcutta.	Petition from Madan Mohan Datta, Katkinadar of the salt mahals of Jessore, explaining why the accounts between him and the Zamindar have not been adjusted, seeking the protection of the Committee as the latter has openly declared his intention to seize and sell the former's salt and enclosing a publication.	1433-7	
5 Jyaishta 1187 B.S.	Publication issued by Srikanta Ray Zamindar of Jessore, declaring that he will seize and sell the salt belonging to Madan Mohan Datta, Katkinadar of the salt mahals of Jessore, if he fails to pay Rs. 24,000 to the Committee on account of balances of revenue due.	1437-8	
[May 29 Hooghly.]	Examination of the Vakil of the Zamindar of Jessore in connection with the above dispute.	1439	
May 29 Hooghly.	Letter to the Supreme Board, intimating that their attempts to settle the dispute between Srikanta Ray, Zamindar, and Madan Mohan Datta, Katkinadar, of Jessore, having proved abortive, they propose to enquire into the matter themselves.	1440-1	
May 26 Fort William.	Letter from C. Croftes, Accountant-General to the Rev. Dep., requesting information about the amounts to be drawn in May and June by the Board of Trade from the Committee's treasury at Hooghly.	1441	
[May 29 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee in connection with balances of revenue due from Ramlochan Palit.	1442-3	
Mar 25 Fort William.	Letter from S. Tolfrey, Attorney-at-law, to W. Haverkorn, Secretary, intimating that Balaram Mitra and Ramgobinda Mitra, salt contractors of the 24 Parganas, have not yet authorised him to withdraw the suit in the Supreme Court and suggesting the lines on which the arbitration bonds should be drawn up.	1443-5	
Nil	Petition from Gobindaprasad Ray, Zamindar of pargana Maihati, requesting approval to the mortgage of his zamindari for payment of arrears of revenue.	1446-7	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
May 29 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee	1424-49	
Nil	Petition from Ramsankar Haklar, Ramlochan Mukharji and Gopi Mandal, inhabitants of Calcutta, agreeing to pay the malguzari due by Gobindaprasad Ray if the zamindari of Maihati is mortgaged to them.	1447	
Nil	Petition from Debiprasad Chaudhuri, Rajkishor Chaudhuri and Bhairabchand Chaudhuri, Zamindars of pargana Maihati, soliciting permission to mortgage their zamindari to Raja Ramlochan.	1447-8	
[May 29 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee on the sale of the zamindari of Maihati.	1449	
May 30 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee	1450-9	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Nil	Report of the Diwan regarding balances of revenue due from Sitaram Ray and Hiram Ray of pargana Murgachha.	1450-1	
Nil	List of mortgage bonds executed by Sitaram Ray and Hiram Ray tendered by their Vakils to the Committee.	1451	
[May 30 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee in connection with the arrest of one havildar and four sepoys in the service of Prabhuram Mallik.	1451-3	
[May 30 Hooghly.]	Letter to the Supreme Board that a havildar and 4 sepoys entertained in Azimabad by Prabhuram Mallik have been arrested and enquiring whether Prabhuram Mallik is also to be apprehended.	1453-5	
[May 30 Hooghly.]	Minute of H. Richardson, Member, dissenting from the above letter.	1455	
[May 30 Hooghly.]	Report of the President that Lakshminarayana Palit, peshkar of the Zamindar of Saryulpur, offers Nanda Ray as his security for release from confinement.	1455-6	
[May 30 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee on the claims of the Zamindar of Jessore against his naib Baidyanath Mitra.	1456-7	
[May 30 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee on balances due from Bhikari Palit.	1457	
[May 30 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee regarding sale of portions of the Maihati zamindari.	1457-9	1460 blank.

U. Shore and J. Cator indisposed. Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
June 1 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	1461-72	B.S. and O. C.'s missing.
Nil	Purport of a representation of Kirti, Wakil of the Zamindar of Mahmudshahi, making certain proposals for stopping the proposed sale of the taluk of Amlabag in Mahmudshahi.	1461-2	
June 1 P.R.	Letter to the Supreme Board, soliciting further instructions regarding the farm of Azimganj in view of the Supreme Board's orders giving the same to Hari Ghosh for five years though Raghunath Basu has made the highest offer and the manner in which a sum of Rs 7,700 conditionally deposited by the security of the farmer should be adjusted.	1462-5	
Nil	Statement of balances due from the Zamindars of Maihati up to 1186 B.S.	1466-7	
Nil	Account of portions of the zamindari of Maihati sold to liquidate arrears of revenue.	1467-8	
June 1 [Hooghly.]	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting with remarks the above accounts and enquiring whether any part of the sums realised from sale of the Maihati zamindari may be utilised to liquidate the previous balances due from the Zamindars and whether the surplus, if any, should be paid to the Zamindars or applied to discharge their debts to other creditors.	1468-70	
Nil	Report of the Diwan on the road constructed by S. Touchet.	1471	
June 5 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>2</sup>	1473-510	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
May 29 Council Chamber.	Letter from W. Bruere, Officiating Secretary to the Gen. Dep., enquiring why the accounts of the Committee for Chaitra 1186 B.S. have not yet been transmitted to the Accountant-General.	1473-4	
June 5 [Hooghly.]	Letter from W. Haverkam, Secretary to W. Bruere, Secretary to the Gen. Dep., explaining the reasons for the delay in transmitting their accounts for Chaitra 1186 B.S., and intimating that these have been sent on 5 June and that the annual accounts are expected to be despatched shortly.	1474-5	

<sup>1</sup> J. Shore and J. Cator indisposed. Naib Diwan attends.

<sup>2</sup> H. Richardson and T. Law indisposed. Naib Diwan attends.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
June 5 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	1475-510	
June 2 Calcutta.	Letter from J. Evelyn, Member in charge of the collections, etc., at Calcutta, requesting orders regarding grant of patta for some khamar land in pargana Magura applied for by Col. T. D. Pearce and enclosing a note.	1475-7	
June 1	Note of Lt.-Col. [T. D.] Pearce, undertaking to maintain the bandhs round the land applied for by him, in repair.	1477	
Nil	Petition from Ignatio Corea, Executor to the estate Donna Tereza De Mello, representing about his claims against Pedro George and praying that the villages Nanda and Hakim-pur be restored to him and that the six villages of Digra, etc., be made over to his management till all monies due with interest and other incidental charges have been repaid.	1479-89	
Nil	Report of J. Shore in connection with his investigation into the dispute between Ramlochan Palit and Jagamohan Sen, Katkandhar and Farmer of the 24 Parganas respectively, and enclosing two papers.	1491-3	
Nil	Statement of Ramlochan Palit about his claims against Jagamohan Sen in connection with the above dispute.	1493-5	
May 18 Calcutta.	Answer of Jagamohan Sen in regard to the aforesaid claims of Ramlochan Palit preferred against him.	1495-8	
Nil	Report of the Diwan that the five Jamadars confined in consequence of a complaint by Gobindaprasad, Zamindar of a division of Maihati, pray for release on bail.	1498-9	
Nil	Petition from Nandalal, naib of Chakla Hijli, reporting about action taken in pursuance of the Committee's parwana with reference to certain mahala in Hijli, properly belonging to Jan Bibi, widow of Sher Khan, alleged to have been usurped by the Zamindar.	1499-500	
Nil	Report of the Diwan regarding the dispute between Ramlochan Ghosh and Nanda Kumar Ray, Pran Krishna and Hari Krishna Ray, suggesting that talab-chitthis may issue against Ramlochan and another as they have not attended him.	1502-3	
June 5 C. P. C.	Letter to the Supreme Board, requesting that a surgeon may be appointed for the Committee.	1503-4	



Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
June 8 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	1511-36	
Nil	Petition from the daroga of the Chikpur Adalat, requesting the help of the Committee in establishing a bazar in Barhooghly.	1519-20	
Nil	Petition from the Wakil of the Faujdar of Chitpur, complaining about the lawless acts committed by Gauri Misra, gumashta of Zamindar Muhammad Akul, and others, and praying that the Committee may direct the Zamindar to refrain from such acts and to arrest the said Misra.	1520-2	
Nil	Account of salt balances due for 1185 B.S., submitted by the President.	1522-3	
[June 8 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee with regard to the above balances.	1524-6	
June 8 Hooghly.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting certain accounts.	1527	
[June 8 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee about the pats delivered in by the Diwan.	1527-9	
Nil	Petition from Ramapati and Nandakishor, Chaudhurs of Sarfarazpur, preferring certain complaints against the Wakil of Krishna Deb, and praying that their share may be separated and the said Wakil compelled to repay money exacted from them.	1529-31	
Nil	Petition from the Vakils of the Zamindars of Muhammad Aminpur, preferring certain complaints against Marik Neoga and Krishnachandra Sen, gumashtas of Ghiretti and Champiani, and praying for restoration of the lands wrongfully occupied by them and for refund of duties they have collected.	1532-4	
Nil	Petition from the Wakil of Ghulam Husain of Satgaonbari in pargana Gurnghar, requesting a rawana to transport some salt.	1534-5	
June 10 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	1537-47	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
June 6 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, advising the Committee of a bill for Sicca Rs. 75,000 drawn in favour of the Board of Trade.	1537-8	
June 6 Fort William.	Similar letter from the Supreme Board, advising the Committee of another bill for Sicca Rs. 75,000 drawn in favour of the Board of Trade.	1538	

<sup>1</sup>J. Shye indisposed. Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
June 10 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	1537-47	
June 7 Calcutta.	Letter from J. Evelyn, Member in charge of the collections of Calcutta, reporting that he has imprisoned Krishna Chandra Sen, Intimamdar of Simla [Calcutta] for his irregular conduct and transmitting certain accounts of arrears of revenue due from the latter for orders.	1540-3	
" Nil	List of claims for monies pressed by the Zamindars of Pechakuthi Ghar and Khasepur.	1544-5	
June 8 Fort William.	Letter from S. Tolfrey, Attorneys to East India Company, to W. Haverkam, Secretary, transmitting a draft of the grant to J. Prinsep for approval.	1545-6	
[June 10 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee in connection with the grant of remission of revenue to the Farmer of Baha for lands acquired for a road by Mr. [R.] Stewart [Superintendent of the Powder Works].	1546	
June 12 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	1548-56	B. N. and O. C.'s missing.
" Nil	Petition from Baslyanath Mitra, praying that either Ramdulal Ray or Anandaram Chakrabarti may be accepted as security for his release from confinement.	1548-9	
" Nil	Report of the Diwan on the mortgages of Sitaram and Hiraram, Zamindars of Muragachha.	1549-50	
[June 12 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee confirming some mortgages executed by the above Sitaram and Hiraram.	1550-1	
" Nil	Representation from the Vakil of Raja Krishnachandra of Nadia, praying that his eldest son Brichand [sic] may be allowed to act for him during his illness.	1551-2	
" Nil	Account submitted by the Diwan of collections made in Calcutta.	1552-3	
" Nil	Report of the Diwan, regarding salt balances due from Ramlochan Palit for 1185 and 1186 B. S.	1554-5	

<sup>1</sup>Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.



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June 15 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	1557-619	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Nil	Petition from Jagannohan Sen, setting forth his grievances against Ramlochan Palit and the losses he has suffered in consequence and praying for relief.	1557-61	
June 13 Sheriff's Office.	Letter from A. Vanrixtel, Sheriff, notifying that Durgaprasad Sarma imprisoned on the complaint of Ramlochan Palit is going to be released from custody.	1561-2	
Nil	Report of the Diwan on balance of revenue due from Lakshminarayan Matilal and Jagatram Matilal, Farmers respectively of Hatiagarh and Barihati, with his suggestions regarding the measures that should be adopted for realisation of the same.	1562-4	
June 9 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, directing that explanations of balances should accompany the monthly tawzi accounts sent by the Committee.	1565	
June 9 Fort William	Letter from the Supreme Board, requesting the Committee to report on the claims of Umbat-un-Nisa (Umdat-un-nisa) Begum to the jagir and monthly allowances of her late husband [Nawab] Siraj-ud-daula.	1566	
Nil	Petition from Raja Birnarayan (of Hiji), requesting that a parwana may be issued to the Naib of Hiji to release the salt attached by Government.	1567	
Nil	Petition from Sayid Humza Ali, praying that the amil deputed to partition the villages Dastura and Dunduma may be directed to expedite and put him in possession of his lawful share.	1568	
Nil	Report of Manohar Biswas about lands appropriated for the camp at Panchanna-gram.	1568-9	
Nil	Report of the Naib Diwan relative to a portion of Shahpur put up for sale.	1570-1	
[June 15 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee in the above connection.	1571-2	
Nil	Petition from Raja Ramlochan, requesting delivery of possession of certain taluks purchased by him at public auction.	1572-3	
June 15 Hooghly.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting with remarks certain accounts and enclosing explanations of the balances of revenue due.	1573-8	

<sup>1</sup>Naib Diwan attends.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
June 15 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee	1557-619	
[June 15 Hooghly.]	Explanation of articles comprehended under the head of Ujuri, being revenue which could not be collected and remissions claimed for particular expenses by the Zamindars and farmers.	1578-600	
[June 15 Hooghly.]	Explanation of balances outstanding in the Calcutta Division.	1601-11	
June 12 Calcutta.	Letter from H. Griffiths, Salt Agent of the 24 Parganas, explaining with reference to a sum of Rs. 9,483 3-0 credited by the Committee to Ramlochan Palit for his salt, the reasons why the said salt has not yet been accepted by him.	1611-17	
Nil	Petition from Sham Das, praying that the Zamindar, who has illegally seized and sold crops belonging to the raiyats of his malnatran lands in Nanakshahi pargana under Sataikka, may be compelled to refund the money thus realised.	1617	
Nil	Similar petition from the Vakil of Matiram, complaining that the Zamindar of Sataikka has unlawfully seized and sold the crops of his malnattran lands and praying for satisfaction.	1618-19	
June 22 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee	1620-39	B. N. and O. C.'s missing.
June 20 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, informing that Hajbari and some other villages have been transferred to the Khalsa as requested by their renter Raja Rajballabh.	1620-1	
June 20 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, permitting Pran Krishna to officiate as the Diwan in the absence of his father.	1621	
June 19 Khalsa.	Letter from G. G. Ducarel, Superintendent of the Khalsa Records, requesting to be furnished with certain papers relating to the dispute between Raja Birnarayan of Hiji and the Zamindar of Mahasadal over village Golpukuria.	1622	
June 17 Calcutta.	Letter from H. Honeycomb, Attorney-at-Law for Ramlochan Mukharji and Gopi Mandal, intimating about decrees passed by the Supreme Court in respect of mortgages executed by Gobindprasad Chaudhuri, a Zamindar of Maihati, in favour of his clients and praying for satisfaction.	1623-6	

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June 22 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee	1620-39	
June 22 C. R. C.	Letter to the Supreme Board, forwarding with remarks the above letter of H. Honeycomb, for favour of instructions.	1626-7	
June 13 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, intimating that the award made by the Committee in the dispute between Raja Anandanarayan and Rani Krishnapriya has been confirmed in favour of the former on appeal by the Rani and that the parties may be informed accordingly.	1628-9	
Nil	Parwana issued by the Committee to Khoshal Chand, Naib of Hiji, directing him to carry out the above decree into execution.	1629-30	
Nil	Petition from Sasiram Datta and other Talukdars of Sultanpur Khararia, complaining against Ramjay Biswas and others for making exactions from the raiyats, and praying that the offenders may be compelled to refund the money thus collected unjustly and that their taluks may be separated.	1632-4	
Nil	Petition from Ramgopal Ray, praying for help for being put in possession of the taluk of pargana Jamra, etc., purchased by him at public auction.	1634-5	
Nil	Purport of a petition from certain raiyats of Magura complaining about the exactions and other oppressions by the Zamindar.	1636-7	
Nil	Report from the Diwan on the petition of Durgacharan Mitra regarding the Salt khalaris at Durgapur and the conditions under which he may manufacture salt there.	1637-8	
June 26 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	1640-96	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
June 22 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, directing them to allow provisions, etc., to be sent to the troops of the Raja of Berar at Cuttack and otherwise to assist the Raja's agents in procuring necessary supplies.	1640-1	
June 23 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, intimating that the appeal of Prabhuram Malik against a decision of the Committee, on a question of outstanding revenue due from the former, has been rejected.	1641-2	
June 20 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, enclosing copy of the auditor's remarks on the accounts for Aswin to Magh submitted by the Committee, with the orders of the Supreme Board, for necessary action.	1642-3	

<sup>1</sup> J. Shore indisposed. Diwan attends.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
June 26 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee	1640-46	
Nil	Remarks of the auditor on the accounts for Aswin to Magh submitted by the Committee with the orders of the Supreme Board.	1643-6	
June 26 C. P. C. Hooghly.	Letter to the Supreme Board explaining the points raised by the auditor as mentioned above.	1646-9	
June 20 Fort William.	Circular letter from the Supreme Board, enclosing an extract of their proceedings for the guidance of the Committee.	1649	
[June 20 Fort William.]	Extract of the proceedings of the Supreme Board, formulating a standing rule regarding allowances to be paid to Government servants when they are deputed to the mufassal to investigate into disputes or other matters.	1650-1	
June 24 Calcutta.	Letter from J. Evelyn, Member in charge of the Collections of Calcutta, requesting to be furnished with correct interpretations of certain orders of the Supreme Board regarding realisation of arrears of land rents and chauthdari tax due from the town of Calcutta and some accounts.	1652-6	
[June 26 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee in the above connection.	1656-8	
Nil	Petition from Pedro, requesting that the Faujdar [of Hooghly] may be made to account for the collections made and embezzled by his officers from his jagir lands.	1659	
[June Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee in the above connection.	1659-61	
Nil	Petition from Ramlochan Palit, requesting that a part of his salt attached by Government for arrears of rent for the salt mahals of the 24-Parganas and Magura for 1185 and 1186 B.S., respectively, may be released and specifying the conditions under which he can clear the arrears due from him.	1661-3	
Nil	List of proposals received by the Committee for the farming of the khas mahals of the 24-Parganas.	1663-5	
June 26 C. P. C.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting certain accounts for Baisakh.	1666-7	
June 26 Hooghly.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting some further accounts with explanations regarding sundry articles.	1667-9	
[June 26 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee in connection with the dispute between Madan Mohan Datta and Srikanta Ray.	1670-90	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
June 26 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee	1640-96	
Nil	Particulars about the dispute between Madan Mohan Datta and Srikanta Ray, Zamindar of Jessore, in connection with salt farms of the district for 1185 to 1187 B.S.	1671-81	
Nil	Particular points which are required to be proved by witnesses in the above dispute.	1682-4	
16 Baisakh 1183 B.S.	Translation of a Bengali bond executed by Srikanta Ray, Zamindar of Jessore, pledging himself as the security for Gopinath Ray, underfarmer of pargana Yusufpur, etc., in favour of Rasiklal Datta.	1684-6	
16 Baisakh 1183 B.S.	Translation of a Bengali agreement executed in favour of Rasiklal Datta by Gopinath Ray as the underfarmer of pargana Yusufpur, etc., in Jessore for 1183 B.S.	1687-93	
Nil	Translation of a Bengali jama and kist-bandh for pargana Yusufpur, etc., agreed to by Gopinath Ray, underfarmer, for 1183 B.S.	1693-5	
Nil	List of witnesses in the aforesaid dispute	1696	
June 20 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee	1697-736	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
June 21 Chandernagore.	Letter from T. D. Campbell, Superintendent, Calcutta Diwan Adalat, asking for information regarding certain lakheraj lands granted by the Zamindars of Muhammad Aminpur to J. Cranny.	1697-9	
June 27 Rev. Dep. Fort William.	Circular letter from J. Duncan, Sub-Secretary to the Supreme Board, directing that the printed amalnamas and katabiyats to be used for the settlement of the current year should be filled up, executed and returned to the Secretary to the Supreme Board for ratification.	1699-700	
June 23 Khalsa.	Letter from G. G. Ducarel, Superintendent of the Khalsa Records, enclosing a petition from the raiyats, etc., of Mahmudshahi.	1701	
Nil	Petition from the raiyats, talukdars, ihtimamdar, etc., of pargana Mahmudshahi, complaining about exactions made by Ramkanta Basu, nephew of Prankrishna Basu, the Farmer.	1702	
{June 29 Hooghly.}	Proceedings of the Committee in connection with the above complaint.	1703-4	

H. Richardson indisposed. Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
June 29 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	1697-736	
[June 29 Hooghly.]	Report of the President regarding the opinion of Mr. [S.] Tolfrey, Attorney to East India Company, on the arbitration bonds in the dispute between Rangobunda Mitra and the East India Company.	1705	
Nil	List of Zamindars and Talukdars in the Calcutta Division who have paid their balances on account of last year and are now required to sign their kabulyata.	1706-24	
[June 29 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee in connection with the settlement of the khas mahals and patitabad lands in the 24 Parganas.	1725-7	
Nil	Account of charity lands in dihi Bhutpara for which compensation is to be made by Mr. [J.] Prinsep.	1727-32	
Nil	Report of the Diwan regarding balances of revenue due from Sitaram Ray and Hiram Ray, Zamindars of Muragachha.	1732	
Nil	List of Zamindars, etc., of the 24 Parganas who are in arrears of revenue for 1180 B.S.	1733-5	1737-8 blank.
Jul. 3 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	1739-73	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
June 27 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, directing the Committee to report on the dispute between the Zamindars of Rajshahi and Nadia over some lands so that necessary orders on the subject may be issued by them.	1739-40	
[Jul. 3 Hooghly.]	Information of the President, stating the reasons for the delay in the report of the amins deputed to settle the above dispute.	1740-1	
June 30 Calcutta.	Letter from J. Evelyn, Member, to D. Anderson, President, soliciting permission of the Committee to draw 140 Arcot Rupees from the treasury for purchasing an iron safe for his office and intimating the inconveniences felt by him for want of an office to hold his cutcherry and deposit the records.	1741	
Jul. 3 Hooghly.	Letter to the Supreme Board, intimating about the request of J. Evelyn for permission to purchase an iron safe at a cost of Arcot Rs. 140 and about his difficulties for want of an office building for orders.	1742-3	
[Jul. 3 Hooghly.]	Minute of the President on the arbitration bonds to be executed by the Company and the Salt Contractor of the 24 Parganas and submitting extract of a letter.	1743-4	

<sup>1</sup>The Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jul. 2 Hooghly	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	1739-73	
	Extract of a letter, dated 1 July from S. Tolfrey, Attorney-at-Law, to the President, suggesting that an agreement between the Company and the Salt Contractor of the 24 Parganas for adjusting the accounts will be more advantageous than the examination of bonds.	1744-5	
[Jul. 3 Hooghly.]	Letter to the Supreme Board, explaining why they have decided to execute an agreement between the Company and Raingobinda Mitra, Salt Contractor of the 24 Parganas, instead of executing arbitraj in bonds and enquiring whether the agreement should be sent to the Supreme Board for signature or signed by the Committee.	1745-7	
Jul. 3 Hooghly.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting copies of proceedings relating to the dispute between the Zamindars of Rajshahi and Nadia, explaining why any translation or abstract of the report of Radhanath Singh, amin, has not been sent and intimating that they do not know whether Hanchharam, amin, deputed by the Provincial Council of Revenue at Murshidabad, has submitted his report on the same subject.	1746-9	
Jul. 3 Hooghly.	Letter to the Supreme Board, intimating that the nabie and the Zamindars of Hijli and Tamruk have been directed to render all assistance for the supply of grain, provisions and other necessary articles for the use of the troops of the Raja of Berar.	1749-50	
[Jul. 3 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee relating to the settlement made with the Zamindars of Magra for 1187 B.S.	1750-1	
Nil	List of the Zamindars and Talukdars of the 24 Parganas who signed their kabulyats for 1187 B.S.	1752-3	
Jul. 1 Chandernagore.	Letter from T. D. Campbell, Superintendent, Calcutta Diwani Adalat, requesting relevant extracts of the proceedings of the Committee regarding grant of a sanad to Loban Bibi in connection with a suit pending in his Adalat.	1754-5	
Nil	Petition from Ramjay Ghosh, Vakil of Gokul Chand Mitra, praying that Lakshminarayan Singh, Farmer of several tarafs of Ghat Nausutteeah, etc., may be compelled to settle his accounts with Gokul Chand Mitra, security for the Katkinadar of the said tarafi.	1756-7	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jul. 3 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee	1730-73	
Nil	Petition from Rajchand Ray and Kaliprasad Ray, Zamindars respectively of the ten-anna and the six-anna divisions of Muhammad Aminpur, complaining that the gumasthas and rayats of Raja Rajballath have encroached on their lands in mauza Dullapore under pargana Hatinda and forcibly carried away paddy, etc., and praying for redress.	1738-9	
Nil	Petition from Krishnananda, complaining that Gokul Chand Nandi booted salt in the khaharis of his parbahari mahals in 1187 Vilayat on behalf of Krishnakumar Babu and removed almost all the salt booted in those khaharis during 1186 Vilayat, requesting that the salt for 1187 Vilayat may not be weighed till the khahari rents due to him have been paid and praying that he may be authorised to remove the salt of 1186 Vilayat still remaining.	1739-60	
Nil	Petition from Burnatayan Chaudhuri, Zamindar of High, stating that he is willing to satisfy the claim of his nabab Katkadar Das provided he is given credit for a sum of Rs. 4,514 4-0 due by the latter and appending an account of collections of 1186 Vilayat made by Nandakumar and others from his zamindari.	1761-2	
Nil	Petition from the Vakil of Ramlochan Palit, Katkadar of the zamindari mahals of the 24 Parganas, undertaking to pay up all dues to Government within three months if his salt under attachment is released.	1763-4	
22 Asharh 1187 B.S.	Report of the Diwan, recommending the issue of a dastak with ten peons to apprehend Atmaram Datta, Malgann of Jagamohan Sen, Farmer of the khas mahals of the 24 Parganas, on account of balances due from the Farmer.	1765-6	
{Jul. 3 Hooghly.}	Proceedings of the Committee in connection with the dispute between Jagamohan Sen, Farmer of the khas mahals and Ramlochan Palit, Katkadar of the zamindari mahals of the 24 Parganas.	1766-70	
Nil	Account of the hasil munafa of the khas and zamindari mahals in the 24 Parganas as prepared by Rajchandra Sarishtadar.	1769	
Jul. 3 Hooghly.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting the tauzi account of the salt mahals of the Calcutta Division for the revenue of 1186 B.S. and explaining the balances due from sundry mahals.	1770-1	



Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jul. 3 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee	1739-73	
[Jul. 3 Hooghly.]	Minute of H. Richardson, Member, disagreeing with the explanation tendered in the above letter.	1772	
Jul. 3 Hooghly.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting the treasury account and account charges of the Committee for Jyaishta 1187 B.S.	1772-3	
Jul. 6 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	1774-94	B.S. and O. C's missing.
Nil	Petition from Gobinda Deb, Zamindar of the three-anna division of Mahmudshahi, authorising his naib Bhabaniprasad Chakrabarti to sign the kabusiyats on his behalf	1774	
Nil	Report from Nimu Mitra, Jarib Amin, on the land occupied by the printing office of J. Prinsep and suggesting that Mr. Prinsep may be asked to pay the price of the khirgar lands on which he has built some godowns.	1776-7	
Nil	Report of the Diwan on the suit instituted by Gobinda Kishor against Hariprasad for the possession of the zamindari of six-anna division of Khoshalpur, etc., in pargana Mahmudshahi, stating that from a hissa nama produced by Gobinda Kishor he seems entitled to the zamindari.	1777-8	
Nil	Petition from Ramkrishna and other, Zamindars of pargana Magra, etc., requesting that Ramsundar Rakshit may be appointed as tahsildar for collection work in their zamindari.	1779-80	
Nil	Arzi from Ramnarayan Misra, Farmer of village Amdeia in Calcutta pargana, complaining about the oppressions on his gumashta by the Faujdar of Chitpur and praying for redress.	1780-1	
Nil	Petition from the Zamindars of Mahisadal, Dorodumman and seven-anna division of Tamluk, requesting that parwanas may be issued to the naibs of Hiji, Mahisadal, and other places to release their salt under attachment.	1781-2	
Nil	Petition from Ramkanta Basu, Farmer of the twelve-anna division of Mahmudshahi, requesting that the talukdars and muharrirs of the place may be summoned and obliged to pay the balances for 1184 and 1185 B.S. and submitting an account of outstandings due from the talukdars.	1782-3	

<sup>1</sup>H. Richardson indisposed. Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jul. 6 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee	1774-94	
Nil	List of Zamindars and Talukdars in the 24 Parganas and Sarfarazpur who executed the kabuliya for their respective zamindaris and taluks for 1187 B.S.	1783-5	
[Jul. 6 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee in connection with the dispute between Jagamohan Sen, Farmer of the khas mahals, and Ramlochan Palit, Katkmdar of the zamindari mahals, in the 24 Parganas.	1786-92	
Nil	Account of the khalaris in Hattagarh	1787-8	
[Jul. 6 Hooghly.]	Examination of the Vakil of Jagamohan Sen, regarding the khalaris at the disposal of Ramlochan Palit	1789	
[Jul. 6 Hooghly.]	Observations of the Committee in the above connection	1789-92	
Nil	Petition of Jagamohan Sen, late renter of the 24 Parganas, requesting either to allow Atmaram Datta, his malzamin, to perform the death ceremony of his parents accepting Ramgobinda Mitra as his hazir-zamin or to accept Gobindaram Mitra as his malzamin undertaking to clear off the Government dues within five months.	1792-3	
[Jul. 6 Hooghly.]	Resolution of the Committee on the above petition.	1794	
Jul. 12 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .	1795-821	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Jul. 6 Fort William.	Letter from C. Croftes, Accountant-General to the Revenue Department, requesting to be furnished with an abstract annual account of the charges and produce of the salt mahals in the Calcutta Division from 1179 to 1185 B.S., and transmitting a form.	1795-6	
[Jul. 12 Hooghly.]	Observations of the Committee regarding the feasibility of supplying the necessary particulars of each column of the form received with the above letter of C. Croftes, Accountant-General, as desired by the Supreme Board.	1796-802	
Nil	Account submitted by Rajchandra, Sarishtadar, showing the haail-munafa on the salt of the Khalaris in Hattagarh during 1180 to 1182 B.S.	1803	

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Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jul. 12 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee	1795-821	
Nil	Account prepared in accordance with the principles laid down by the Supreme Board, of the hasil-munafa of the diffident khalaris of Hatiagarh for the years 1180 to 1182 B.S. and showing the proportionate shares of Jagamohan Sen and Ramkohan Palit, Farmer of the khas mahals and Katkinadar of the zamindari mahals of the 24 Parganas respectively.	1804-6	
[Jul. 12 Hooghly.]	Decree of the Committee in the dispute between Jagamohan Sen and Ramkohan Palit, fixing the amount which they should pay to each other on account of the hasil-munafa of the khalaris in Hatiagarh.	1807-8	
Nil	Petition from Ramkohan Palit, Katkinadar of the zamindari mahals of the 24 Parganas, complaining that Jagamohan Sen, Farmer of the khas mahals of the 24 Parganas, has dispossessed him of the desi khudays in Hatiagarh and enclosing two accounts.	1808-9	
Nil	Account, showing the claims of Ramkohan Palit on Jagamohan Sen, on account of the hasil-munafa of the desi khalaris of the tufal mahal in Hatiagarh.	1809	
Nil	Account, showing the claims of Ramkohan Palit on Jagamohan Sen on account of the hasil-munafa of the desi khalaris in Hatiagarh.	1809-10	
[Jul. 12 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee on the above petition of Ramkohan Palit, Katkinadar of the zamindari mahals in the 24 Parganas.	1810-11	
Nil	Petition from Muhammad Dilwar, nab of the Zamindar of a portion of Ambarabad (Amirabad), complaining that Ebadullah, Zamindar of the ten-anna division of the said pargana, has forcibly dispossessed his master of the village of Murwarupur and requesting that the zamindari may be partitioned and his master put in possession of his share.	1812-14	
Nil	Purport of a petition from the Faujdar of Hooghly, intimating that none of his officers held the punyahs in the jagir of Pedro.	1814-15	
Nil	Petition from Hariprasad Ray, Zamindar of the seven-anna division of Aminpur, explaining how the zamindari of the said pargana devolved upon him.	1815	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jul. 12. Hooghly	Minutes of Committee.	1795-821	
Nil	Petition from Gobindaprasad Chaudhuri, Zamindar of Mathati, complaining that a sergeant and five barkaras sent by the Supreme Court on the complaint of Sankar Halder for realisation of mortgage money have attached his house causing his raiyats to desert from the taluka and praying for their withdrawal.	1817	
Jul. 12 Hooghly.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting with remarks the above petition of Gobindaprasad Chaudhuri.	1818-19	
Nil	Petition from the Talukdars of the seven-anna division of Sarfarazpur, complaining that Ramlochan Ghosh, their malzamin for 1186 B.S., made illegal collections from the raiyats and requesting that Gopinath Chaudhuri may be accepted as their malzamin for 1187 B.S.	1819	
[Jul. 12 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee on the claim of the widow of Srikrishna Ray to the six-anna division of the zamindari of Sarfarazpur.	1819-21	
Jul. 14 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	1822-40	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Jul. 10 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, intimating that A. Campbell has been appointed Surgeon at Hooghly.	1822	
[Jul. 14 Hooghly.]	Report of the President about talukdars who have not executed their kabuliyaats.	1823-4	
[Jul. 14 Hooghly.]	Further report of the President about other talukdars who have not executed their kabuliyaats but who are themselves or by their vakils attending the Committee.	1824-5	
[Jul. 14 Hooghly.]	Another report of the President about mahals for which no proposals for farming have yet been received.	1825-7	
[Jul. 14 Hooghly.]	Another report of the President about talukdars who have not sent duly authorised agents to execute the kabuliyaats.	1827	
[Jul. 14 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee, deciding to let certain mahals in auction and passing other orders on the above reports of the President.	1828-31	

<sup>1</sup>H. Richardson and T. Law indisposed. Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jul. 14 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee.	1822-40	
Nil	Report from Nandalal, Naib of Hijli, explaining why he could not submit his report on the disputed accounts of the thika khalaris of parbahari mahals in time and requesting that Krishnakanta Babu may be directed to send his gumashta with the necessary papers to him.	1831-3	
Nil	Report of the Diwan on some lands held by J. Cranney in Muhammad Akinpur on the strength of a mahattran grant.	1834-6	
Nil	Translation of a letter from Maharaja Rajchandra Krishnachandra Bahadur of Nadia, intimating that he has entrusted the management of his zamindari to his eldest son Maharaj Kumar Shubchandra Bahadur and requesting that he may be allowed to transact the business of the zamindari.	1836-8	
Jul. 14 Hooghly.	Letter to the Supreme Board, intimating that Rajkumar Shubchandra Bahadur, eldest son of the Raja of Nadia, has signed the kabulyat in his own name, and transmitting the above letter of the Raja of Nadia for orders.	1838-9	
Nil	Petition from Khoshal, an inhabitant of dhhi Calcutta, requesting a patta for his house.	1839	
Jul. 17 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee.	1841-63	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Jul. 14 Calcutta.	Letter from J. R. D'oyly, requesting that an enquiry may be made into the complaints of Baburam Ghosh, Farmer of a plot of land in Salkia, about the oppressions of the gumashta of Baranashi Ghosh, Farmer of Mahisadal.	1841-2	
[Jul. 17 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee on the partition of the seven-anna division of the zamindari of Sarfarazpur.	1842-6	
[Jul. 17 Hooghly.]	Examination of the Vakil of Srikishor, one of the partners of the seven-anna division of the zamindari of Sarfarazpur, on the before account submitted by him and his explanation of the case.	1843-4	

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Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jul. 17 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee	1841.63	
[Jul. 17 Hooghly.]	Observations of the Committee in the above connection that before the partition of the said zamindari is made, the right of the petitioner to the zamindari should be ascertained.	1844.6	
[Jul. 17 Hooghly.]	Resolution of the Committee that the management of the collections of the seven-anna division of Sarfarpur be allowed to continue with Nandakishor on his signing the kabulyats and that Gopinath Chaudhuri be accepted as his malguzarn.	1846	
Nil	Report of the Diwan that the complaints of Ramsingh, Talukdar of the four-anna division of Hogra, about collection of excessive malguzari for 1185 B.S. by Keshu Chaudhuri and Krishnaram Chaudhuri, Zamindars of the place, are proved and suggesting that the Zamindars may be directed to refund the amount.	1847.8	
[Jul. 17 Hooghly.]	Examination of Ranjay Hakdar, Amin of Bhatpara, about his previous report on the lands granted to J. Prinsep, Chintz Contractor, explaining how the brahmins and the owners of the brahmottar and debottar lands granted to J. Prinsep, are to be compensated.	1849.50	
[Jul. 17 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee on balances of revenue due from the Zamindars of Hgra. Mahisadal, Tamruk and Sugamutha for 1185 and 1186 B. S.	1850.2	
Nil	Petition from Jagamohan Sen, Farmer of the khas mahals of the 24 Parganas, requesting that the adjustment of his accounts with Ramlochan Palit may be expedited and that his security Atmaram Datta may be released from confinement to perform the sradh ceremony of his parents.	1852.3	
[Jul. 17 Hooghly.]	Observations of the Committee on the foregoing petition of Jagamohan Sen that Atmaram Datta has been released on humanitarian grounds, that their judgment in the dispute between Jagamohan Sen and Ramlochan Palit has been passed already and that the sum decreed in favour of Jagamohan Sen is not sufficient to liquidate his dues to Government.	1854.5	
Nil	Petition from Hariprasad Ray, Zamindar of the seven-anna division of Muhammad Aminpur, explaining how he has managed the said zamindari during the illness of his father Krishnakanta Ray.	1856.8	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jul. 17. Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	1841-63	-
[Jul. 17 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee on the question of partition of the zamindari of Muharrifad Aminpur.	1858-61	
Nil	Petition from Sriballabh, Talukdar of a division of Boro pargana, requesting that the taluk of Durgaram, one of his partners, may be separated from his taluk as the latter is not regular in the payment of his malguzari.	1861-2	
[Jul. 17 Hooghly.]	Report from J. Shore, Member, intimating that three of the six annas deputed to investigate the patitabad lands have returned with their accounts and requesting that he may be allowed to entertain a writer to help him in drawing out those accounts in English.	1862-3	
Jul. 20 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	1864-94	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Jul. 17 Fort William.	Letter from C. Croftes, Accountant-General to the Rev. Dep., intimating that the Board of Trade have applied for a draft upon the Committee's Treasury for Rs. 90,000 or more if possible payable within a month and requesting that he may be informed of the amount which may be remitted to the Board of Trade.	1864-5	
June 26 Murshidabad.	Letter from the Provincial Council of Revenue at Murshidabad, requesting that the Raja of Nadia may be directed to send his shikdar at Agrawalp to Mr. Ryan, Agent to Capt. McGowan, to inspect 500 bighas of land at Suti and 100 bighas in Agrawalp applied for by Capt. McGowan in connection with his scheme for promoting the navigation of the Kasimbazar river.	* 1866-7	
[Jul. 20 Hooghly.]	Report of the Diwan that Bhairabchandra, Zamindar of Maihati, with the Naib of Debprasad, another Zamindar of Maihati, have come in a boat to execute their kabaliyats but are afraid to land on shore because of an warrant issued against them by the Supreme Court.	1867-8	
1 Shrabon 1187 B. S.	Petition from Sadaram Naik, denying the charges of assault, violence and plunder alleged against him by the sepoye of the Government Custom Master at Calcutta.	1868	

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Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jul. 30 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	1864-66	
Nil	Purport of a report from the Vakil of the Raja of Nadia, intimating that the presence of Sadaram Naik in the mufassal is necessary now for collection, complaining of illegal collections and oppressions made by the gumaashtha of the Collector of Government Customs and requesting that Sadaram Naik may be released on the Vakil of Nadia's security for his personal appearance before the Committee when necessary.	1869-70	
Nil	Petition from Anantaram and ten other Talukdars of Hatingarh and Shalpur, complaining of the various oppressions and illegal collections by the Zamindars and Ihtimamdars of the place.	1870-2	
Nil	Petition from Frankinkar Chaudhuri, Talukdar of pargana Nakipur, requesting that he may pay his malguzari separately and that his taluk may be separated from that of Srikrishna Chaudhuri, Zamindar of Sarfarazpur.	1873-4	
Nil	Report of the Diwan in the above connection that the taluk of Frankinkar Chaudhuri is independent and nowise connected with that of Sarfarazpur.	1874	
[Jul. 26 Hooghly.] •	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting the proceedings of the Committee for January to April 1780 with index and appendix.	1876	
Nil	Report of the Diwan, submitting the hazir-zamin papers of Balaram Majumdar for Atmaram Datta, Security of Jagannobun Sen, Farmer of the khud mahals in the 24 Parganas, and stating that the said Balaram Majumdar requests that Radhacharan, son of Atmaram Datta, may be kept in confinement for the period his father is allowed to remain at large.	1877	
[Jul. 26 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee on the sale of the zamindari of two of the Zamindars of Mubati.	1877-8	
Nil	Petition from Khoshalchand, Naib of Tamruk, representing how his people were opposed by the people of the nine-anna division of Tamruk in making over possession of gach Banaberia to the Zamindar of the seven-anna division in accordance with the decree of the Supreme Board.	1878-80	
[Jul. 20 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee regarding steps to be taken for realisation of the balances due from Magura, Hogle, Muragachha, Chutipur, Shyambati, and Kismet Hooghly.	1881-5	



Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jul. 20 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	1884-94	
Nil	Report of the Diwan, stating that an account of the charity salt tenures under the Committee will be submitted when details have been obtained from the mufassal and recommending that the charity salt of Shah Ghulam Husain may be released.	1885-6	
Nil	Petition from the Vakil of Ebadullah, Zamindar of the ten-anna division of Amrabad, refuting the charges brought against his principal by the Vakil of Khair-un-nisa, Zamindar of five-anna division of the said place.	1887-93	
Jul. 31 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	1895-908	B.S. and O.C.'s missing.
Jul. 18 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, sanctioning a Portuguese writer for the President and some additional establishment for J. Evelyn, Member-in-charge of the Committee's business at Calcutta, intimating that the patta of Prabhuram Mallik for the farm of Azimabad is not valid, directing the arrest of Prabhuram Mallik, security for Azimabad, confirming the grant of the farm of Azimganj to Baidyanath Basu, conveying instructions about the sale proceeds of the zamindari of Muihati, authorising the insertion of certain items of expenditure in the Committee's accounts, agreeing to the purchase of an iron safe for J. Evelyn and directing the execution of the agreement proposed between the East India Company and Ramgobinda Mitra, Salt Contractor of the 24 Parganas.	1895-9	
[Jul. 21 Hooghly.]	Orders passed by the Committee in pursuance of the above letter.	1899-901	
Nil	Petition from the Vakil of Ramratan Thakur, requesting that Sundha Khan, one of the joint securities of Bhairabchand Chaturji farmer of Azimganj for 1185 B.S. with Ramjay Thakur, brother of his constituent, may be compelled to pay the amount due on account of a sum of Rs. 770 deposited by his constituent to make up the arrears of the collections of Azimganj.	1901-3	
Nil	Report from the Diwan on the jagir of Mirza Muhammad Erich Khan, intimating the reasons why he cannot furnish the information required by the Committee and requesting that a parwana may issue to the widow of the jagir to produce the necessary papers by some agent.	1904-5	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jul. 21 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee	1895-908	
Nil	Account showing the amount collected in the panyaha from the different parganas under the management of the Committee.	1905	
Nil	Petition from Radhanath Singh, amin, deputed to enquire into the dispute between the Zamundars of Rajshahi and Nacha, informing that investigation in the matter has been suspended as none of the persons concerned have appeared before him and submitting an account of arrears due from the zamundars on account of his daily allowances, etc.	1906-7	
Nil	Petition from Sibprasad Nag and other, Zamundars of Sibpur, requesting that they may be given assistance to realise the balances of revenue due from bynaris of Bandarkhola which is the only source of clearing off their balances of revenue due to Government.	1907-8	
Jul. 24 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	1909-23	B.S. and O. 2/4 missing
Jul. 18 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, transmitting with remarks an account received from the Board of Trade regarding short delivery of salt.	1909-10	
[Jul. 24 Hooghly.]	Examination of the Vakils of Rajkishor and Gobindaprasad, Zamundars of Mahati, to ascertain if the Zamundars are willing to sign the kabulyats for their portion of the zamindari provided sazawals are sent to their division for making the collections.	1911-12	
Nil	Purport of a petition from Debiprasad and Bhairabchand, Zamundars of Mahati, requesting that two mughabans may be sent into their zamindari in order to protect them from the oppressions of their other partners.	1912	
Nil	Purport of a report from the Diwan, recommending that 20,000 maunds of salt belonging to Ramlochan Palit attached by the Committee may be released for payment of the amount of the pat paid by Bhikari Palit on account of the balances of revenue due from Ramlochan Palit.	1913	
Nil	Petition from Jagannohan Sen, Farmer of the khas mahals of the 24-Parganas, requesting that Ramlochan Palit's salt in Nalua, Sukatap and Muragachha may be attached as security for the petitioner's demands against the latter and representing about further demands against Ramlochan Palit, Katkinadar of the zamindari mahals of the 24-Parganas.	1914-16	

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Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jul. 24 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	1909-23	.
Nil	Petition from Lakshminarayan Basu, amin, furnishing a list of servants of Ramlochan Palit, Katkinadar of the zamindari mahals in the 24 Parganas, who forcibly broke open the golas and carried away the attached salt deposited there in boats.	1917-18	
Nil	Petition from Raja Birnarayan, Zamindar of Hijli, requesting that the amin of village Golpukuria may be directed to allow the raiyats to cultivate their lands.	1919	
Nil	Petition from Kandarpa Das, Farmer of nine-anna division of Tamduk making a demand of Rs. 18,000 against Government on account of expenses of surplus salt.	1919-20	
Jul. 21 Serampore.	Letter from R. J. M. Laaboom, requesting permission to construct a road from Nawabganj to Serampore and that the Zamindar and Farmer of Chittarah may be directed to render all possible assistance in the undertaking.	1921-2	
Jul. 27 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	1924-46	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Jul. 21 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, requesting the Committee to issue a circular to all Salt Agents and Contractors to furnish any information required by the Accountant-General for consolidation of the salt accounts with a view to ascertain the revenue derived from salt.	1924-5	
Jul. 26 Fort William.	Letter from C. Croftes, Accountant-General to the Rev. Dep., requesting the Committee to transmit the salt accounts with necessary remarks of the Salt Agents and Contractors concerned.	1925-7	
Jul. 24 Fort William.	Letter from W. Bruere, Assistant Secretary to the Supreme Board, enclosing an extract from the proceedings of the Supreme Board, and directing the Committee to put A. A. Tremamendo in possession of the land granted to him by the Supreme Board as early as possible.	1927-8	
	Extract from the proceedings of the Supreme Board dated 24 Jul. on A. A. Tremamendo's prayer for an additional grant of two bighas of land for his riding school.	1928-30	
May 30 Fort William.	Letter from A. A. Tremamendo (to the Supreme Board), praying for an additional grant of two bighas of land for his riding school.	1928-9	

W. Shor and H. Richardson indisposed. Diwan and Naib Diwan attend.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jul. 27 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee	1934-46.	
Jul. 24 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, advising of a bill for Siga Ra. 77,586-3-9 payable at ten days' sight drawn in favour of the Board of Trade.	1931	
Jul. 27 Hooghly.	Letter from G. Manning, praying for a patta for a plot of land measuring 10 bighas and 12 cottahs in dihi Dakshin Parkpara.	1932-3	
[Jul. 27 Hooghly.]	Report of the Accountant on salt accounts of the districts under the agency of J. Archdekin, late Salt Agent of the 24 Parganas, for the period 1180 to 1194 B.S.	1933-4	
Nil	Petition from Emaduddin, etc. Talukdars of Shahnagar pargana, representing about the circumstances leading to the mortgage of their taluks for payment of arrear revenue, complaining that village Chandpur and their Khanabari lands have been wrongly acquired by Ganashyam Ghosh and Krishna Chandra Ghoshal respectively and praying that steps may be taken to compel Sadaraz Sarkar, Talukdar of Patitabad lands in Chandpur village, mahangs and rayats of Shahpur and Mollapara, Sitaram Basu, Rambhadra Kayal, etc., to pay monies due to them on diverse accounts.	1935-8	
[Jul. 27 Hooghly.]	Orders passed by the Committee in consequence of the above petition.	1938-40	
Nil	Petition from Srikrishna Ray, Zamindar of Sarfarazpur, requesting that a parwana may issue to Gopinath, malzamin of the seven anna division of Sarfarazpur, to proceed to the mufassal to collect the revenue of his taluk.	1940-1	
Nil	Account received from the late Sazawal of Muragachha, and placed before the Committee by the Diwan	1942	
Nil	Petition from Ramkriahna Datta, stating that Bishnu Charan Ray, Zamindar of nine-anna division of Hogla, may be compelled to repay Ra. 300 which he borrowed from the petitioner.	1943-4	
Nil	Report of the Diwan on the proposal for sale of the taluk of Pran Majumdar.	1945	
Nil	Petition from Raghabendra Ray, representing that the village of Malia has been forcibly taken possession of by Narasingha Deb.	1945	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jul. 29 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	1947-67	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Jul. 25 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, directing that Bangabihari, a Shroff, who has absconded to Nadia, should be arrested and sent back to Rangpur.	1947	
Jul. 25 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, directing that a patta should be granted to Rev. (W.) Johnson for a plot of land adjoining the Revenue Council House.	1948-9	
Nil	Report of the Diwan on the representation of Jaduram, Zamindar of Borodumnan, applying for a dastak for 75,000 maunds of salt of 1186 B.S.	1950	
(Jul. 29 Hooghly.)	Report of the President on the representation of the Zamindars of High, Borodumnan, Mahisadal, Supakutha, Tamluk and Jalumutha, praying that their salt under attachment may be released and rawnas granted for its transport so that it may be sold to liquidate their arrears of revenue due to Government.	1950-65	
Jul. 21 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, agreeing to the grant of a kabulyat to Raja Sibchand for the Zamindari of Nadia.	1965-6	
Nil	Petition from Lakshminikanta, son of Radha Churan, Talukdar of a division of Dharsa pargana, complaining that his father's taluk has been usurped by Balaram, another Talukdar of the same pargana.	1966-7	
Aug. 7 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	1969-2011	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Aug. 1 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, directing that Umdat-un-nisa and Imari Khanum, daughters of late Nawab Muhammad Erich Khan, may be allowed to enjoy the jagir of their deceased father in Jessore.	1969	
Aug. 3 Chinsura.	Petition from F. Regel, praying that measures may be taken to restore two of his slave girls carried away and kept hidden by some unknown persons.	1970-1	
Nil	Representation from Radhakanta Tarkabagish, praying for a lakhiraj sanad for 1,000 bighas of waste lands in the khas mahals of Calcutta pargana.	1971-2	

U. Shere and H. Richardson indisposed. Diwan attends.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Aug. 7 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee	1969-2011	
Nil	Representation of Kirtinarayan, Wakil of Mahendra Sankar, Zamindar of Mahmud shahi, requesting that a nighaban may be appointed to put him in possession and otherwise protect his interests in the mazkur taluk of Balabhadra.	1972	
Aug. 7 Accountant's office	Report of the Accountant on the account received from the Supreme Board regarding salt delivered from the Calcutta Division to the Board of Trade.	1973-7	
Aug. 7 Hooghly.	Letter to the Board of Trade, asking for information regarding the deficiency in the estimated amount of salt sold at auction as noticed in the extract of a salt account sent by the Board of Trade to the Supreme Board.	1977-8	
Aug. 7 Hooghly.	Letter to the Supreme Board, remarking about the inaccuracies noticed in the salt accounts of the Board of Trade and intimating that the latter have been asked to explain the discrepancy in the estimated amount of salt sold at auction.	1979-82	
Aug. 7 Hooghly.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting with remarks the tauzi accounts of the salt mahals.	1982-3	
Aug. 1 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, acknowledging receipt of certain accounts of the Calcutta Division and transmitting an extract of their proceedings.	1984	
	Extract of the Proceedings of the Supreme Board dated 1 Aug. on the subject of balances outstanding from Muhammad Aminpur, Ghuretti, Ghusuri, Town of Calcutta, Twenty four Parganas, etc., and also on account of ganja, atashbazi, nauka sleep mahal, etc.	1984-91	
[Aug. 7 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee in connection with the above balances and orders passed in consequence.	1991-8	
Nil	Translation of a petition from Ramlochan Palit, appealing against the award of the Committee in the dispute with Jagamohan Sen over hasil munafa salt and the revenue of the khalsas in the desi mahals of Hatnagarh and Calcutta.	1998-2000	
[Aug. 7 Hooghly.]	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting with remarks the above appeal of Ramlochan Palit together with extracts of all their proceedings subsequent to 30 Dec. 1779, relevant to the dispute between Ramlochan Palit and Jagamohan Sen.	2001	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Aug. 7 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	1969-2011	
Nil	Report of the Naib Diwan about the result of his investigation into the complaint of certain fishmongers about illegal exactions made by the naibs and gumash-tas of Lakshminarayan Chaudhuri, Krishna Singh, Hiramam Chaudhuri, etc., Zamindars of Hooghly.	2002-8	
Nil	Report of the Diwan in the same connection	2008-9	
[Aug. 7 Hooghly.]	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting with remarks a bill of exchange for one lakh of rupees drawn by Madan Mohan and	2010	
Aug. 7 C. P. V. Hooghly.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting a price current of grain and salt in the Calcutta Division for Baisakh.	2011	
Aug. 10 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	2012-45	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Aug. 4 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, agreeing to the grant of a patta to C. Weston for a plot of land adjoining his newly purchased house on condition that no permanent structures are raised on the said land and remitting the khazana tax on 16 cottahs of land on the Armenian Street, occupied by the Greek Church as prayed for by C. Parthenos, Priest of that Church.	2012-13	
Nil	Petition from Gobinda Deb, Zamindar of 3 anna 4 gandas division of Mahmudshahi, requesting that he may be put in possession of the khas and mazkuri taluks according to the batwara as early as possible, complaining that Dorab Chaudhuri, gumashta of 12 anna 16 gandas Zamindar of village Kulberia, has forcibly sowed on his lands in village Balarampur and that his taluk of Sountah is being partitioned by an arjun of Mr. Campbell's Adalat, and praying for relief.	2014-16	
Nil	Report of Anandaram, Amin, deputed to Mahmudshahi, on the batwara work done by him and appending an account of arrears of allowances due to him by the Zamindars.	2016-18	
[Aug. 10 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee in the above connection.	2019-22	
[Aug. 10 Hooghly.]	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting the Committee's Treasury Account and Account Charges for Asharh.	2022-3	

U. Shore indisposed. Diwan attends.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Aug. 10 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee	2012-45	
Nil	Letter from H. Scott, Deputy Collector of Government Customs, enclosing a petition.	2023	
Nil	Petition from Ramhari Rakshit to the Collector of Government Customs at Calcutta, complaining about extortions made by Ramgopal Sen, Lakshmikanta Sen and Ramnulu Sen, when he was transporting sugar, cotton and mustard seed in spite of his having proper <i>rawanas</i> .	2024	
Aug. 6 Calcutta.	Letter from S. Tolfrey, Attorney to the East India Company, transmitting a deed of agreement between the Company and Bala ram Mitra and Ram Gobinda Mitra, requesting that it may be returned to him after filling up the blank spaces for further action.	2025-6	
Aug. 7 Hooghly.	Letter * to the Supreme Board, explaining the reasons why the zamindars and farmers of the 24 Parganas should be granted some relief though the settlement has been concluded on the same terms as last year, reporting about the progress in making the settlement of the salt mahals of High district and suggesting certain measures for better management of salt revenue derived from the <i>thika khalaris</i> of Jessore, Sibpur, Nadia, Mahati and the 24 Parganas	2027-34	*T. Law, Member, objects to the last paragraph.
Nil	Petition from the Naib of Jaduram Ray, Zamindar of Dorobumhan, etc., pargana, complaining of the various ways in which Raja Barnarayan, his partner, is disposing of his villages and otherwise interfering with his rights and praying that an amir may be deputed to enquire into the matter and put him in possession of the properties justly belonging to him.	2035-40	
Nil	Report of the Diwan on the petition of Gopal Goala, an inhabitant of Lashkarpur under pargana Bahra, against Dima Goala of the same village for having wrongfully acquired 10 cottahs of land belonging to the former.	2041-5	
Aug. 14 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee	2046-60	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Nil	Purport of a letter from the Raja of Nadia, intimating that he has been unable to trace Bangatlahari Poddar, an absconder from Rangpur, alleged to be hiding in his zamindari.	2046	



Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Aug. 14 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	2046-60	
[Aug. 14 Hooghly.]	Report of the President, that Darpanarayan, Naib, also intimates his failure to obtain any information about Bangabihari. "	2046-7	
Aug. 14 Hooghly.	Letter to G. Bogle, Collector of Rangpur, intimating their inability to arrest Bangabihari, a shroff, alleged to be hiding in Nadia, and requesting further information about him to facilitate his arrest.	2047	
Aug. 14 Hooghly.	Letter to the Supreme Board, informing them of the above request to the Collector of Rangpur for further information to facilitate the arrest of Bangabihari, an absconding shroff.	2048	
Nil	Report of the Diwan regarding comparison of the accounts of the late sazawal of Muragachha by the present sazawal and suggesting that a parwana may issue against the former sazawal directing him to deliver the receipts to the Committee.	2050-1	
Nil	Recommendations made by the Diwan on certain complaints made by Ramjay Mukharj, amin of kismat Magura, etc., in the taluk of Ramram Ray.	2051-3	
Nil	Report of Balaram, amin, on the application of Radhakanta Tarakbagish for a lakhiraj sanad for 1,000 bighas of waste lands under the khwa mahals of the Calcutta pargana on payment of the assessed value of the same.	2054-5	
Aug. 14 Hooghly.	Letter to the Supreme Board, recommending the grant of a lakhiraj sanad to Radhakanta Tarakbagish for 1,000 bighas of waste lands in Calcutta pargana as applied for above.	2055-7	
Nil	Petition from Krishna Chandra, Vakil of Raja Ramlochan, stating that his constituent who has purchased the shares of Rajkishor and Debiprasad, Talukdars of Mahati, etc., at public auction, may be put in possession of the same.	2058-9	
Aug. 17 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	2061-69	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Nil	Petition from Ramsaran, Vakil of Radhakrishna Basu, Farmer of pargana Mahati, complaining that the Chaudhuria of the said pargana did not deliver the records to Keshabram, gumashta, sent to collect revenue and praying for redress.	2063-3	

<sup>1</sup>Diwan attends.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Aug. 17 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee	2061-89	
Aug. 15 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, advising about a bill for Sicea Rs. 1,00,000 drawn at 20 days' sight in favour of the Board of Trade.	2063-4	
Nil	Petition from Kasimath Datta, Zamindar of Sultanpur, Khararia, etc., pargana, intimating the reasons why he has dismissed his gunashta Ram Sankar Datta and praying that a nighaban and two sepoys may be sent to help him in making collections.	2064-5	
Nil	Petition from Ganesaram and other byasaris of the salt mahals, representing that the Zamindars have not delivered the contracted quantity of salt for which they advanced money and requesting that the salt of the zamindari mahals may be seized to make up the quantity stipulated with them.	2066	
Nil	Report of the Diwan, recommending that 24,000 maunds of salt belonging to Ramlochan Palit and lying at Muragachha may be sold to realise arrears due from him.	2067	
[Aug. 17 Hooghly.]	Examination of Ramlochan Palit regarding the sum of Rs. 29,352 due from him on account of revenue.	2067-9	
Nil	Petition from Ramsaran Chakrabarti, Wakil of Ramkanta Basu, Farmer of Mahmudshahi, praying that five peous may be sent to compel Jugal, Shroff of Taragunia, etc., and Krishnadob Bakshi, Dulal Bakshi and Anup Ray, Zamindars of 12 anna 16 gunda division of Mahmudshahi pargana to pay up the revenue due.	2069-70	
Nil	Petition from Kalprasad, Zamindar of six-anna division of Muhammad Aminpur, praying for abatement of revenue because of damages caused by erosion of the river.	2070-1	
Nil	Petition from Kalprasad, Zamindar of six-anna division of Muhammad Aminpur, stating that the Zamindar of the ten-anna division of the aforesaid Zamindari has unjustly taken possession of certain noabad lands under pargana Boro, etc., and praying that a sum of ten thousand rupees according to the aforesaid account should be realised from the ten-anna Zamindar and credited to him.	2071-3	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Aug. 17 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	2061-89	
Nil	Petition from the Vakil of Muhammad Ibrahim Chaudhuri, representing how Jaynarayan Ghoshal fraudulently obtained 8-anna share of his principal's hereditary zamindari of Mahabatpur Bandarkhola pargana, a khalsa mahal under the Calcutta Division and the various ways in which he is oppressing the people and misappropriating the revenue and praying for redress.	2074-7	
Nil	Petition from Jaynarayan Ghoshal, praying that Muhammad Riza Chaudhuri, Zamindar of eight-anna division of Mahabatpur Bandarkhola pargana, be directed to pay him Rs. 17,701-13-2 being money due with interest on account of a loan.	2077	
Nil	Petition from Raja Birnarayan, Zamindar of High pargana, requesting payment of a sum of Rs. 4,000 on account of his mushahara for 1185 Vilayati.	2078-9	
Nil	Petition from Narasingha Deb, Zamindar of Barjhati, in answer to the complaints of Ramkushor Ray, Raghunandan Ray and other Zamindars of pargana Magura.	2080-2	
Nil	Petition from Lakshminarayan Ray, Hiramam Ray and other Chaudhurs of pargana Hogla, etc., praying that in view of the difficulties experienced in realising revenue from the farmers and pattadars, Paran Basm may be accepted as the maharain for the said pargana and permitted to attend to the business in the mufassal.	2083-4	
Nil	Report of the Diwan on the accounts received from the amir of Mahmudshahi with his recommendations about the manner in which the zamindari should be divided amongst the owners.	2084-7	
Nil	Petition from Krishnananda, complaining that Krishnakanta Babu has forcibly taken almost the entire quantity of salt manufactured by him and praying for redress.	2087-8	
Nil	Petition from Harish Chaudhuri, Talukdar of pargana Mosufferah, complaining that Kaliprasad, naib of Ramkrishna Ray, Zamindar of seven-anna division of Muhammad Aminpur is unlawfully encroaching on his lands.	2088-9	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Aug. 25 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	2090-126	B. S. and O. C's missing.
Jul. 15 Fort William.	Circular letter from the Supreme Board, prohibiting any official correspondence between the Provincial Councils of Revenue and Superintendents of Diwan Adalats.	2090	
[Aug. 25 Hooghly.]	Report of the President about the circumstances in which one Brindaban has been put in possession, by the officers of the Sheriff of the Supreme Court, of a plot of land claimed by another Ghulam Sarwar.	2091-3	
Aug. 25 Hooghly.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting with remarks the tauzi accounts for Baisakh to Shraban 1187 B.S.	2095-6	
Aug. 25 Hooghly.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting with remarks the tauzi accounts of the salt mahals up to the end of Shraban 1187 B.S.	2096-7	
Aug. 19 Calcutta.	Letter from S. Tolfrey, Attorney-at-Law to W. Haverkam, Secretary to the Provincial Council of Revenue at Hooghly, returning with remarks certain documents.	2097-8	
Aug. 21 Fort William.	Letter from S. Tolfrey, Attorney-at-Law, to W. Haverkam, Secretary to the Provincial Council of Revenue at Hooghly, intimating that the suit instituted by Balaram and Rangobinda Mitra against the East India Company has been dismissed.	2098-9	
Nil	Report of the Diwan on the state of balances due from the division of pargana Murgachha being the taluk of Sitaram Ray, Hiram Ray and Lakshminarayan Ray and suggesting the appointment of a sazawal to make the collections in the mufassal and remit it to Government.	2099-100	
[Aug. 25 Hooghly.]	Observations of the Committee in the above connection regarding the appointment of a sazawal to secure the revenues of Murgachha.	2101-2	
Nil	Report of the Diwan on the quantity of lands necessary to be acquired for the road under construction by S. Touchet.	2103	
Nil	Petition from Premnarayan Basu, requesting that Gobinda Deb Ray and Mahendra Ray, Zamindars of pargana Mahmudnaghi, be directed to restore him his ancestral taluk of tauli Cuppernala which they have unlawfully usurped.	2104-5	

<sup>1</sup>H. Richardson and T. Law indisposed.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Aug. 25 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	2090-128	
Nil	Petition from Radhakrishna Ghosh, Farmer of Mahati, representing that out of the taluka of Gobindaprasad and Rajkishor Chaudhuri granted to him for farming, the house, garden, etc., of Gobindaprasad Chaudhuri have been attached by an order of the Supreme Court in pursuance of a money decree obtained by one Sankar Halidar.	2106-7	
Nil	Report of the Diwan on the complaints of Anandram, etc., Talukdars of Hatiagarh.	2107-11	
[Aug. 25 Hooghly.]	Orders passed by the Committee in consequence of the above report of the Diwan.	2111-12	
Aug. 25 Hooghly.	Letter to the Board of Trade, commenting on certain discrepancies in the salt accounts supplied by them, requesting correct information about certain items and asking them to expedite the shika salt accounts to facilitate a general adjustment of all the salt accounts of the Calcutta Division.	2112-16	
Aug. 16 Baruipur.	Letter from H. Griffiths, Salt Agent of the 24-Parganas, in answer to the allegations of Emaduddin, etc., Talukdars of Shahnagar pargana for obstructing the revenue business.	2115-18	
Nil	Petition from Sitaram Ray and Hiram Ray, Zamindars of Muragachha, complaining against H. Griffiths, Salt Agent of the 24-Parganas, for shielding malangs who have got into arrears of revenue and praying for relief.	2118-19	
[Aug. 25 Hooghly.]	Observations of the Committee in the above connection.	2119-21	
[Aug. 25 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee in connection with the dispute between Jan Bibi and Raja Birnarayan.	2121-6	
Nil	Report of Nandalal on the complaint made by Jan Bibi against Raja Birnarayan, Zamindar of Hijli, for misappropriating her lands, and transmitting certain papers.	2121	
—	Decree passed by Rupram, Naib of Hijli, on 13 Jul. 1777 or 31 Asharh 1184 B.S., in the above dispute.	2122-3	
Nil	Statement of Jan Bibi in the above connection.	2123-4	
Nil	Statement of Raja Birnarayan, Zamindar of Hijli, in the same connection.	2125	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Aug. 28 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	2127-40	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Nil	Petition from the raiyats of Bakshipur in Mahmudshahi pargana, complaining of illegal exactions made by the under-farmer Dayaram Pal.	2127	
Aug. 21 Rangpur.	Letter from G. Bogle, Collector of Rangpur, intimating that he has no information where Bangabihari may be hiding.	2128-9	
Nil	Petition from Krishnaprasad Halder, representing that Golundakishor, uncle of Hari prasad Ray, the local Zamindar, has dispossessed him of his farm of the villages Nawapara and Kamdebpur.	2129	
Nil	Petition from Abdullah, Zamindar of Ambarabad, requesting that a malzaminisand may be granted to Kriparam so that the kists of revenue may be regularly discharged through him and representing about the difficulties in collecting revenue from village Mirwaripur and portions of parganas Homnabad, Babupur, Gopalpur and Ambarabad.	2130-2	
Nil	A diwan sanad* relating to the grant of village Mirwaripur as madad-muash, produced by the Wakil of Karimunnissa.	2132-3	*Not embodied in the proceedings.
Nil	Petition from Atmaram Datta, Mahendram Mitra, Ramkrishna Matilal, etc., praying for grant of pargannas to them restoring possession of their mazkuri taluks of which they have been dispossessed by Narasingha Deb Ray, Zamindar of parganas Hatnagarh, Mayda, Barijhati, Ektiarpur, etc.	2134-5	
[Aug. 28 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee relating to a security bond demanded from Ramlochan Palit	2135-6	
Nil	Report of the Diwan about the attached salt of Ramlochan Palit on account of 1185 Fash.	2136-7	
[Aug. 28 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee regarding remission of arrears of revenue due from Ramlochan Palit.	2137-8	
Aug. 28 Hooghly.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting the treasury accounts and account charges of the Calcutta Division for Shraban.	2138-9	
Aug. 28	Representation from Mr. Lasoude, praying for grant of a patta to Mrs. J. Gregory, for a house in Calcutta.	2139	
Nil	Report of the Diwan on the dispute between Raja Birmarayan, Zamindar of Hiji and Jan Bibi.	2140	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Aug. 31 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	2141-57	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
[Aug. 31 Hooghly.]	Proceedings of the Committee in connection with the appointment of Rajchandfa as arbitrator to decide the dispute between the East India Company and Balam and Ramgobinda Mitra, Salt Contractors of the 24 Parganas.	2141-5	
Aug. 31 Hooghly.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting a sum of Rs. 1,50,000 on account of the collections of the Calcutta Division.	2145	
Nil	Petition from Raja Rajballabh, enquiring to whom he should return the sanad for Gola-ganj as ordered by the Committee.	2146	
Nil	Petition from the widow of Krishna Deb, late Zamindar of pargana Mahmudshahi, complaining about the exactions made by Ramkanta Basu, a renter of Mahmudshahi pargana, from the raiyats, praying that a riyahban may be posted at the place to prevent Ramkanta Basu from making further exactions and agreeing to defray the expenses for such a riyahban.	2147-8	
Nil	Petition from Mahendra Singh, Zamindar of twelve-anna division of Mahmudshahi pargana, intimating that the present Farmers Ramkanta Basu and Parau Basu have abolished the zamindari sarishta though they are allowed a deduction of Rs. 12,855-6-8 for the purpose and praying that the sum may be paid to him to maintain a zamindari sarishta.	2148-9	
[Aug. 31 Hooghly.]	Minute of H. Richardson, Member, on the utility of a zamindari sarishta in Mahmudshahi pargana.	2149-50	
Nil	Petition from Bawari Dasi, widow of Srikrishna, representing how Nandakishor Roy and others have collusively obtained the orders of the Committee for managing the seven-anna division of Sarfarazpur, etc., the taluk of her deceased husband, though since the death of her husband she has been regularly paying the revenue for the same through her security Ramlochan Munshi and praying that the management of the taluk be restored to her with Ramlochan Munshi as her security.	2150-3	
Nil	Petition from Raja Birnarayan Ray, Zamindar of Chakla Hijli, praying that the daroga of the local Adalat may be directed to help him in depositing salt at Rasulpur ghat as usual to which his co-sharer is objecting.	2154-5	

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Aug. 31 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	2141-57	
Nil	Report of the Diwan in the above connection	2155	
Aug. 31 Hooghly.	Letter to the Supreme Board, transmitting a price-current of grain and salt in the Calcutta Division.	2156	
* Nil	Petition from Dukhiram Sen, inhabitant of village Tooteoolydas, praying to be put in possession of his legitimate one-sixteenth share of the said village, which he has been deprived of, by the Talukdar Birsas Sen.	2156-7	2158 blank.
June 2 Calcutta.	*Account khazana and chaukidari tax of bazar Simla as collected by ihtimamdar Krishnachandra Sen on account of 1186 B. S.	2159	All O. C.'s missing. Read in cons. of 10 June.
June 5 Calcutta.	*Account of payments made by Krishnachandra Sen, ihtimamdar of Simla, during 1186 B. S.	2160	Ditto.
Nil	*Account of lands appropriated for Mr. Stewart's road and Powder Mills.	2161	Ditto. 2162 3 blank.
Nil *	†Abstract annual account of the charges and produce of the Salt mahals of the Calcutta Division from 1179 to 1185 B. S.	2164-5	Read in cons. of 12 July.
June 30 Accountant's office Board of Trade.	†An Estimate showing the want of produce, loss and wastage on the salt accounts of the 24 Parganas, Hylti, Sibpur, Jessore, Tamluk and Mahisadal as adjusted up to 30 Apr. 1779.	2166-8	Read in cons. of 24 July.

Jan. 4 Hooghly.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	..	Progs. Vol., B. 8. and all O. C.'s except No. 12 missing.
Dec. 26, 1780 Fort William.	*Circular letter from the Supreme Board, directing that the higher class of Frenchmen should leave Bengal by 31 Jan. 1781 and issuing orders for the immediate arrest of the lower class of Frenchmen residing in Bengal.	No. 12	*Original preserved in the Victoria Memorial.

\*Appendices for June 1780.

†Appendices for July 1780.



**Press List of Ancient Documents relating to the Separate Proceedings on balances of the Provincial Council of Revenue at Calcutta (i.e., the Calcutta Committee of Revenue), dated 27 March to 17 December 1777 preserved in the Secretariat Record Room of the Government of Bengal.**

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Mar. 27 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	1-3	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
[Mar. 27 Fort William.]	Statement made by the President on balances of revenue due from the mahals in Bengal.	1	
Mar. 27 Cal. Com. Rev.	Motion* of P. Moore, suggesting that the farmers whose accounts have not been adjusted or those who are pleading for deductions of revenue be directed to attend the Committee with their securities till their accounts are finally adjusted.	2	*M. Dawson supports.  4-5 blank.
Mar. 31 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	6-78	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Nil	Statement showing the balances of revenue due from pargana Bahia.	7	
Nil	Representation of Ramkanta Mukharji, Mustajir of pargana Bahia, pressing his claims for deduction of revenue on account of loss sustained by him due to a hat and a gang recently established at Budge-Budge by [R.] Stewart, Superintendent of the Powder Works.	7-9	
Mar. 31 Fort William.	Letter to Capt. W. Campbell, Commanding Officer at Budge-Budge, requesting him to help the amin deputed to ascertain the quantity of land acquired for the Budge-Budge Fort.	10	
Nil	Statement of balance of revenue due from Maidanmal pargana up to the end of Chaitra [1183 B. S.] with the deduction, claimed by the farmer.	11	
Nil	Representation of Prabburam Halder, Farmer of pargana Maidanmal, explaining the reasons why he has not paid the balance outstanding for the year 1183 B.S.	11-13**	
Nil	List of claims placed before the Committee by Prabburam Halder, Mustajir of Maidanmal and Akbarpur.	13-16	
[Mar. 31 Fort William.]	Resolution of the Committee in respect of the above claims of Prabburam Halder.	16-18	

<sup>1</sup>Diwan attends.

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Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Mar. 31 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	6-78	
Nil	Statement of balances due from Muragachha pargana.	19	
Nil	Representation of Kripaam Datta, Mustajir of pargana Muragachha, urging various reasons for which deductions of revenue should be granted to him.	19-22	
[Mar. 31 Fort William.]	Resolutions of the Committee on the above claims for deductions of revenue pleaded for by Kripaam Datta, Mustajir of Muragachha.	22-5	
Nil	Statement of balances due from Potehakuli pargana up to the end of Chastra 1183 B.S.	25	
Nil	Representation of Ram Nidhi Das, Mustajir of pargana Potehakuli, about his claims for deductions of revenue.	25-6	
[Mar. 31 Fort William.]	Resolutions of the Committee on the above representation of Ram Nidhi Das, claiming deductions of revenue.	26-7	
Nil	Statement of arrears of revenue due from the nine-anna division of Tamruk up to Chastra 1183 B.S.	27-8	
Nil	Representation of Kandarpa Das, Farmer of the nine-anna division of Tamruk, regarding the above balance.	28	
Nil	Statement of arrears due from Azimabad up to the end of Chastra 1183 B.S.	29	
Nil	Representation of Prabhuram Malik, Farmer of Azimabad pargana, claiming deductions of revenue on various grounds.	29-31	
[Mar. 31 Fort William.]	Resolutions of the Committee on the aforesaid claims of Prabhuram Malik, Farmer of Azimabad.	31-2	
Nil	Statement of revenue due from Dakshinagar (farmed by Nandalal, under the security of Jagannath Ghosh, up to the end of Chastra 1183 B.S.	32	
Nil	Statement of revenue due from Khaspur up to the end of Chastra 1183 B.S.	33	
Nil	Representation of Ramhari Chatterji, Mustajir of pargana Khaspur, claiming certain deductions of revenue.	33-4	
[Mar. 31 Fort William.]	Resolutions of the Committee in the above connection.	34-6	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Mar. 31 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	6-78	.
Mar. 31 Fort William.	Letter to Messrs. [D.] Anderson, [C.] Croftes and [G.] Bogle, requesting that the kat-kinadars and karnacharis of pargana Khaspur attending their cutcherry may be released as soon as possible so that the farmer Ramhari Chatarji can realise the large arrears due from them.	35-6	
Nil	Statement showing the arrears due from pargana Shahpur up to the end of Chaitra 1183 B.S.	36	
Nil	Statement of balances due from pargana Shahnagar up to the end of Chaitra 1183 B.S.	36-7	
Nil	Representation of Darpanarayan Mitra, Farmer of pargana Shahnagar about his claims for deduction of revenue.	37-8	
[Mar. 31 Fort William.]	Resolutions of the Committee in respect of the above claims for deduction of revenue made by Darpanarayan Mitra.	38-9	
Mar. 31 Fort William.	Letter to W. Richardson, Pulbandi Agent for the 24 Parganas, directing him to ascertain the amounts spent by the farmers of the 24 Parganas on pulbandi works and to issue to each farmer, on application, a certificate stating the amount of deduction that he may be entitled to.	39	
Nil	Statement of balances outstanding from Mahmudshahi up to the end of Chaitra 1183 B.S. together with the items on which deductions are claimed by the Zamindar Baranashi Ghosh.	39-40	
[Mar. 31 Fort William.]	Resolutions of the Committee in the above connection.	40-2	
Nil	Statement of arrears due from Mahusadal from its Farmer Kaliprasad, for whom Baranashi Ghosh is surety, together with the claims for declarations pleaded by the Farmer.	42-3	
[Mar. 31 Fort William.]	Resolutions of the Committee in the above connection.	43-6	
Nil	Statement of revenue due from pargana Hogle and Talebpur from Prankrishna Singh and Santam Singh.	46	
Nil	Statement of revenue due up to the end of Chaitra 1183 B.S. from Calcutta pargana.	46	
Nil	Representation of Ram Ram Ray and Ram Ram Ghosh, Mustajirs of Calcutta pargana, claiming deductions of revenue on various items.	47-50	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Mar. 31 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	6-78	
[Mar. 31 Fort William.]	Resolutions of the Committee in the above connection.	81-3	
Nil	Statement of rent outstanding on account of the town of Calcutta up to the end of Chaitra 1183 B.S.	53	
Nil	Representation of Kanak Ram Mitra, Farmer of the hats and bazars in the town of Calcutta about the losses suffered by him and claiming abatements of revenue accordingly.	53-4	
Nil	Further representation of Kanak Ram Mitra in the same connection.	54-5	
Nil	Another representation of Kanak Ram Mitra on the same subject.	55-6	
[Mar. 31 Fort William.]	Resolutions of the Committee on the above representations of Kanak Ram Mitra, Mustajir of the hats and bazars in the town of Calcutta.	57-8	
Nil	Statement of balances due from Nadia up to the end of Chaitra 1183 B.S. showing the deductions claimed by Darpanarayan Ray, Naib of Nadia.	58	
[Mar. 31 Fort William.]	Resolutions of the Committee in the above connection.	58-9	
Nil	Statement of revenue due from Mahendranarayan, Zamindar of Sujamutha.	59	
Nil	Statement of revenue due up to the end of Chaitra 1183 B.S. from Ghar pargana farmed by Rajballabha Mitra under the security of Ramlochan Ray showing the amounts of deduction of revenue claimed by the farmer.	60	
[Mar. 31 Fort William.]	Resolutions of the Committee in the above connection.	60-1	
Nil	Statement of revenue due from Collerah Muzuffera farmed by Ramlochan showing the deduction of revenue claimed by the farmer.	61	
Nil	Statement of revenue due from the seven anna division of Tamluk farmed by Anandnarayan.	61	
[Mar. 31 Fort William.]	Resolution of the Committee regarding realisation of balances due from Anandnarayan.	62-3	
Nil	Statement of balance of revenue due from Sutanpur Khararia, the zamindari of Kaamath Datta.	63	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Mar. 31 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	6-78	
Nil	Statement of revenue due from Kantunagar, farmed by Loknath Nandi.	63	
Nil	Statement of balances due on account of rents of hats and bazars farmed by Kanak Ram Mitra, chaukidari tax and arak mahals farmed by J. Lovett, in the town of Calcutta.	64	
[Mar. 31 Fort William.]	Resolutions of the Committee in the above connection.	64-5	
Nil	Statement of revenue due from Panchanna-gram, showing the deductions claimed by Durga Charan Chakrabarti, security for the deceased Farmer Baburam Ray.	65-6	
Nil	Statement of revenue due from Magura pargana up to the end of Chaitra 1183 B.S.	66	
Nil	Representation of Durgaprasad Ray, Farmer of Magura pargana, claiming deductions of revenue on certain accounts.	66-7	
[Mar. 31 Fort William.]	Resolutions of the Committee in respect of the above claims for deduction of revenue pleaded by Durgaprasad Ray, Farmer of Magura.	67-70	
Nil	Statement of revenue due from Mahabatpur Bandarkhola, farmed by Bhabancharan with Jaynarayan Ghoshal as his security, showing the deductions claimed on behalf of the farmer on account of sar chalanta for 5 years.	71-2	
Mar. 31 Fort William.	Letter to G.G. Ducarel, Superintendent of the Khalsa Records, directing him to furnish particulars regarding the jama of Mahabatpur Bandarkhola to enable the Committee to determine the claim for sar chalanta pleaded on behalf of the farmer.	72-3	
Apr. [sic.] 27 Calcutta.	Petition from Rasiklal Datta, Farmer of pargana Yusufpur, claiming deductions of revenue on various grounds.	73-6	
[Mar. 31 Fort William.]	Resolutions of the Committee on the above claims for deduction of revenue urged by Rasiklal Datta, Farmer of Yusufpur pargana.	76-7	

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
May 15 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	75-83	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
May 15 Fort William.	Resolutions of the Committee, giving the Diwan particular directions in regard to the procedure to be followed for the realisation of the balances of revenue outstanding.	80	
[May 15 Fort William.]	Minute of P. Moore, Member, suggesting adoption of rigorous measures for a speedy realisation of the outstanding revenue.	81-3	
[May 15 Fort William.]	Observations of the Committee in the same connection.	83	
May 22 and 26 <sup>2</sup> Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	84-7	
May 22 [Fort William.]	Motion of J. Champain, Member, in the above connection, suggesting a reconsideration of the matter. <sup>3</sup>	84	
Nil	Abstract statement of the balances for the year 1183 B. S. submitted by the Diwan and the Accountant to the Committee.	85-6	
[May 26 Fort William.]	Observations of the Committee on the above subject.	86-7	88 blank.
June 23 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	89-101	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
June 23 [Fort William.]	Minute of P. Moore, Member, reiterating his recommendation for the adoption of stricter measures to enforce payment of the balances of revenue still outstanding.	89-94	
[June 23 Fort William.]	Statement submitted by the President about the state of outstanding balances for 1183 B. S.	95-6	
June 23 [Fort William.]	Minute of J. Champain, Member, recommending that some other plan for the realisation of outstanding balances should be adopted as the method followed by the Committee have proved inadequate.	97-8	
[June 23 Fort William.]	Minute of M. Dawson, Member, supporting the suggestion of P. Moore regarding adoption of stricter measures to recover the arrears of revenue still outstanding.	98-9	
[June 23 Fort William.]	Resolutions of the Committee in the above connection.	99-101	102-3 blank.

<sup>1</sup>J. Champain indisposed. Diwan attends.

<sup>2</sup>Meeting of 15 May seems to have been continued on 22 and 26 May.

<sup>3</sup>Naib Diwan attends.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jul. 3 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	104-40	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Nil	Report of the Diwan on the result of his enquiries into the complaints and objections of the mustajirs of Yusufpur, Mahmudshahi, Sayyidpur and various other parganas in connection with the adjustment of balances of revenue due.	105-31	132 blank.
[Jul. 3 Fort William.]	Resolutions of the Committee in pursuance of the above report of the Diwan.	133-40	
Jul. 7 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	141-5	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
[Jul. 7 Fort William.]	Minute of P. Moore, Member, moving that the Diwan be particularly enjoined to carry out the orders passed by the Committee in regard to realisation of the balances outstanding for 1183 B.S.	141-2	
[Jul. 7 Fort William.]	Minute of the President, recording his reasons why he cannot agree entirely with the above suggestion of P. Moore.	142-3	
[Jul. 7 Fort William.]	Resolution of the Committee on the Diwan's report on the balances of 1183 B. S.	143-4	
[Jul. 7 Fort William.]	Minute of the President, dissenting from the above resolution passed by the Committee.	144-5	
Jul. 21 & 23* Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	145-55	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
[Jul. 23 Cal. Com. Rev.]	Minute of the President, recommending that the mustajirs, malzams, valils, etc., confined on 22 July for arrears of revenue be admitted to bail until the balance due from each has been determined.	145-9	
Jul. 23 Com. House.	Minute of P. Moore, Member, disagreeing with the above recommendation of the President.	149-51	
[Jul. 23 Fort William.]	Minute of J. Champain, Member, declining to agree to the President's recommendation to admit to bail the farmers, etc., confined for arrears of revenue.	151-2	
[Jul. 23 Fort William.]	Minute of M. Dawson, Member, giving his reasons why he thinks it inexpedient to release any of the farmers until he has paid up the entire balance due from him.	152-3	
[Jul. 23 Fort William.]	Minute of E. Fenwick, Member, in the same connection, objecting to any bail being granted to the farmers, etc., confined for arrears of revenue.	153-5	

<sup>1</sup>Naib Diwan attends.

\*Meeting of 7 July seems to have been continued on 21 and 23 July.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jul. 21 & 23 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	145-55	
[Jul. 23 Fort William.]	Resolution of the Committee, giving instructions to the Diwan regarding adjustment of the accounts of the farmers and realisation of the arrears due and also warning the Diwan not to oppress the farmers in any way.	155	156 blank.
Jul. 24 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	157-73	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Jul. 22 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, directing the Committee to enforce payment of balances of revenue for 1183 B.S. and not to entertain any fresh proposal for farming from any Zamindar who is in arrears and has not adjusted his accounts for the last five years, asking them to prepare separate statements of balances outstanding for 1179 to 1183 B.S. specifying the farmers in arrears, the amount due from them, their claims for remission with the remarks of the Committee on the equity of such claims, also enclosing a letter on the subject from the Court of Directors for their guidance.	157-8	
	Extract of a General Letter from the Court of Directors dated 24 December 1777 [sic] containing instructions on the subject of letting out lands to farmers on lease.	158-9	
[Jul. 24 Fort William.]	Questions put by the President, enquiring whether the Committee are competent to enforce payment of outstanding balances for 1183 B.S. before the Supreme Board have determined from the Committee's report on the state of balances as to what part is recoverable in accordance with the spirit of the above instructions of the Court of Directors."	160	
[Jul. 24. Fort William.]	Minute of E. Fenwick, Member, interpreting the instructions contained in the Supreme Board's letter of 22 July.	160-1	
[Jul. 24 Fort William.]	Observations of the Committee in the above connection.	161	
Jul. 24.	Observations of J. Holme, President <sup>2</sup> , on the position created by the Supreme Board's letter of 22 July enclosing instructions from the Court of Directors regarding letting of lands on lease.	162-7	

<sup>1</sup>Diwan attends.



Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Jul. 24 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	167-73	
Jul. 25* Tuesday.	Opinion of P. Moore, Member, in the same connection.	167-72	
[Jul. 25 Fort William.]	Resolution of the Committee in consequence of the instructions received from the Supreme Board as referred to above.	172	
Jul. 29 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	173-8	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
[Jul. 26 Fort William.]	Order of the President issued to the Naib Diwan to compile a statement of all mustajirs in arrears from 1179 to 1183 B.S.	173-4	
Nil	Report of the Naib Diwan, giving a list of the balances due from certain mustajirs of the Calcutta Division for 1179 to 1183 B.S.	174	
Jul. 29 Calcutta.	Letter from [R.] Tolfrey and [N.] Naylor, Attorneys-at-Law, intimating how Pralghuram Mallik, security for his father Sukdeb Mallik, has been unjustly confined by Ganga Gobinda Singh in spite of his offer to deposit the amount demanded of him on account of balance of revenue due, pending investigation of certain claims for deduction, and requesting an early answer so that they may obtain redress for their client.	175-6	
Jul. 26 Calcutta.	Petition from Rasik Lal Datta, Farmer of Yusufpur, requesting that his Vakil may be released pending consideration of his claims for remission unjustly rejected by the Diwan.	177-8	
Aug. 1 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	178-80	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
[Aug. 1 Fort William.]	Opinion of the President regarding muchalkas to be asked for from the farmers for payment of their arrears.	179	
Aug. 4 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	180-6	
Nil	Petition from the Mustajirs of Calcutta pargana, furnishing a list of balances due from the katkinadars and karmacharis, explaining the reasons why the arrears have not been realised, complaining of the various oppressions of Diwan Ganga Gobinda Singh and praying that the balance found due to Government after allowing for suitable remissions may be realised from the katkinadars and karmacharis and that any surplus left over may be paid to them.	180-2	

\*Meeting of 24 July seems to have been continued on 25 July.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Aug. 4 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	180-6	
Nil	An account of balances due from the katkins-dars and karmatharis to the mustajirs of Calcutta pargana on account of 1163 B.S.	182	
Nil	Petition of Ramankar Sarma, vakil of pargana Kantunagar, setting forth his claims to remissions on account of sair chahanta and bazi jama allowed by the Committee of Circuit.	183-6	
Aug. 5 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	187-96	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
[Aug. 5 Fort William.]	Resolution of the Committee, sanctioning the appointment of a proper officer, a nafb and four muhariris to attend to the several representations of the farmers of the Calcutta Division having balances outstanding in the hands of katkinadars, the monthly allowances of such officers to be defrayed by a commission of 5 per cent. on the amount of the gross collections which may be made by them on behalf of the several complainants.	188	
[Aug. 5 Fort William.]	Order of the Committee, acquainting the Diwan with the above resolution and directing him to notify the farmers of the Calcutta Division, having balances outstanding in the hands of their katkinadars, to submit attested accounts of their claims to the Ammi Daftar now instituted expressly to investigate them within 15 days from date.	188-9	
[Aug. 5 Fort William.]	Resolution of the Committee, appointing Atmaram Basu, Amm, in pursuance of the above Proceedings of the Committee.	189	
Nil	Statement for balances due from Calcutta pargana farmed by Ram Ram Ray under the security of Ramjay Thakur.	189-91	
Nil	Representation of Ram Ram Ray and Ram Ram Ghosh, Mustajirs of Calcutta pargana, claiming deductions of revenue on various grounds.	192-4	
[Aug. 5 Fort William.]	Resolution of the Committee in the above connection.	195	
[Aug. 5 Fort William.]	Minutes of J. Holme, President, giving his reasons for dissenting from the last of the above resolutions of the Committee, affecting the question of losses suffered by the farmers due to the erection of a new hat at Amirpur by Raja Krishna Chandra of Nadia.	195-6	

<sup>1</sup>Diwan attends.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Aug. 8. Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	197-206	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
[Aug. 8 Fort William.]	Examination of Ramsunder Rakshit, Kar-kun of the 24-Pargannas, regarding an item of exemption claimed by the farmer of Calcutta pargana for being forcibly dispossessed of certain lands by Raghu Mitra and others.	197	
[Aug. 8 Fort William.]	Minutes of J. Holme, President, in the above connection.	197-8	
Aug. 8 Friday [Fort William.]	Motion of P. Moore, Member, in the same connection.	198-9	
[Aug. 8 Fort William.]	Minute of J. Holme, President, regarding the claim for deduction made by the farmer of the Calcutta pargana because of losses due to the old hat breaking up after the new hat at Kulbagia was established.	199	
[Aug. 8 Fort William.]	Resolutions of the Committee on certain other claims for abatements of revenue urged by the farmers of Calcutta pargana.	200	
Nil	Account of various kinds of salt produced and the khalaris rents during 1174 to 1182 B.S., in the 24-Pargannas.	201	
Nil	Account of desi khalaris of the 24-Pargannas; showing salt produced and rents during 1174 to 1182 B.S.	202-3	
[Aug. 8 Fort William.]	Minute of P. Moore, Member, making observations on the above salt accounts and the claim of the farmer for remission of revenue in that connection.	204-5	
Nil	Statement of balance of revenue due from the farmers of Calcutta pargana after adjustment of the remissions granted by the Committee.	206	
Aug. 25 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	207-9	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
[Aug. 25 Fort William.]	Motion of J. Holme, President, regarding liquidation of the balance of revenue still outstanding and forming the new settlement.	207-8	
Aug. 28 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	209-11	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Aug. 28 Accountant's Office, Cal. Com. Rev.	Account of balances due from certain Zamindars of the Calcutta Division for the period 1179 to 1183 B.S., showing deductions claimed by them.	210	212 blank.

<sup>1</sup>Naib Diwan attends.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Aug. 28 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. .. .	213-16	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
[Aug. 28 Fort William.]	Proceedings of the Committee, regarding balances outstanding from Saiyidpur and the remissions claimed on behalf of the farmer.	213-14	215 blank.
[Aug. 28 Fort William.]	Order of the Committee directing the Diwan to inform the farmers of Maihati that they will not be given charge of the lands unless they pay up the outstanding balances.	216	
Aug. 29 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. .. .	217-19	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
[Aug. 29 Fort William.]	Proceedings of the Committee on the subject of claims for remission pleaded by the Diwan of Saiyidpur.	217-19	
Nil	Account of revenue due from Saiyidpur as adjusted by the Committee.	219	220 blank.
Dec. 1 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. .. .	221-32	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Nov. 28 Fort William.	Letter from the Supreme Board, returning the rough drafts of the proceedings of the Committee on balances and requiring to be furnished with a clear state of the accounts of balances drawn up on the lines suggested in the Supreme Board's letter of 22 July last, by 18 December next.	221-2	
[Dec. 1 Fort William.]	Observations of the Committee regarding realisation of outstanding balances for the period 1179 to 1183 B.S.	222-7	
Dec. 1 Fort William.	Letter to the Supreme Board, explaining the present position in regard to the state of outstanding balances and assuring that every attempt will be made to furnish the necessary accounts desired by the Supreme Board as early as possible.	228-32	
Dec. 2 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. .. .	233-41	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Nil	A notification asking all defaulting zamindars farmers and others who have preferred claims for deduction, to appear either in person or by their vakils with necessary documents, in support of their claims, before the Committee, until the investigation of their claims is finished and that failure hereof will preclude such defaulters from any further hearing whatever and that the amount found due to Government after such investigation will be rigorously realised.	234-5	

<sup>1</sup>Diwan attends.

<sup>2</sup>M. Dawson indisposed. Diwan and Naib Diwan absent on account of *Chhargali* holiday.

<sup>3</sup>M. Dawson indisposed. Naib Diwan attends.

Date and from:	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Dec. 3 Fort William. Nil	<i>Minutes of the Committee</i> .. ..	233-41	
Nil	Statement submitted by the Nazir to the Committee on balances due from Muragachha for 1179 to 1183 B.S.	236	"
Nil	Statement showing the remissions prayed for by Kriparam Datta, Farmer of Muragachha, with the observations and resolutions of the Committee noted against each item.	237-40	
[Dec. 2 Fort William.]	Resolution of the Committee in the above connection that Kriparam Datta may remain at large under the charge of a Jamadar and 2 peons for three days and that, if he fails to pay up the balance due within that time, he will be imprisoned in the cutcherry.	241	242 blank.
Dec. 3 Fort William.	<i>Minutes of the Committee</i> .. ..	243-52	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Nil	Statement showing the remissions claimed by Prabhuram Malik, Security for his father Sukdeb Malik, Farmer of Azimabad, with the observations and resolutions of the Committee noted against each item.	243-6	
Nil	Statement of revenue due from Azimabad as adjusted by the Committee.	246	
Nil	Statement of revenue due from Maidanmal farmed by Prabhuram Halder under the security of Darpanarayan Thakur.	246	
Nil	Statement of remissions claimed by Prabhuram Halder, Farmer of Maidanmal pargana, with the observations and resolutions of the Committee noted against each item.	247-51	
Nil	Statement of balance due from Maidanmal pargana as adjusted by the Committee.	252	
Dec. 4 Fort William.	<i>Minutes of the Committee</i> .. ..	253-63	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Nil	Account of revenue due for 1179 to 1183 B. S. from Bahia farmed by Ramkanta Mukharji under the security of Baranashu Ghosh.	253	
Nil	Statement showing the remissions claimed by Ramkanta Mukharji, farmer of Bahia, with the resolutions of the Committee.	253-5	
Nil	Statement of revenue due from pargana Khaspur farmed by Ramhari Chatarji for 1179 to 1183 B. S. under the security of Nimu Sarjar.	256	

<sup>1</sup>M. Dawson indisposed. Naib Diwan attends.

<sup>2</sup>Naib Diwan attends. M. Dawson indisposed. J. Champain employed on the Grand Jury.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Dec. 4 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	253-43	
Nil	Statement showing the remissions claimed by Ramhari (Ghatari), Farmer of Khaspur, with the resolutions of the Committee.	256-7	
Nil	Account of revenue due from pargana Magura for 1179 to 1183 B. S.	257	
Nil	Statement showing the remissions claimed by Ramnath Mandal farming Magura in the name of Durgaprasad Ray, under the security of Krishnachand Basak, with the resolutions of the Committee.	257-60	
Nil	Account of revenue due from Magura as adjusted by the Committee.	260	
Nil	Account of revenue due from Pochakuli pargana by Ramnidhi Das under the security of Anandram Das.	261	
Nil	Statement showing the remissions claimed by Ramnidhi Das, Farmer of Pochakuli, with the observations and resolutions of the Committee.	261-2	264 blank.
Dec. 5 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	265-89	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Nil	Representation of Krishnachand Ray, produced before the Committee by Durgacharan Chakrabarti security for late Baburam Ray Farmer of Panchannagram, in connection with the adjustment of balances of revenue still outstanding, that he being the executor appointed under Letters of Administration granted by the Supreme Court is to pay all debts due by or claim all monies outstanding to the estate of his deceased brother Baburam Ray.	265-6	
Nil	Account of balance due from Panchannagram farmed by Ramgopal Datta under the security of Shyam Sarkar during 1179 and 1180 B. S. prior to the farm being relet to Baburam Ray.	267	
Nil	Account of outstanding revenue due from Baburam Ray, Farmer of Panchannagram, under the security of Durgacharan Chakrabarti for the years 1181, 1182 and 1183 B. S.	268	
Nil	Statement showing the claims for remission pleaded on behalf of the Farmer of Panchannagram and the observations and resolutions of the Committee in respect thereof.	269-72	

<sup>1</sup>M. Dawson indisposed. J. Champain employed on the Grand Jury. Nathu Dwain attends.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Dec. 5 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee .. ..	265-89	
Nil	Account of revenue due from pargana Ghar for 1179 to 1183 B. S. farmed by Rajbal'ab' Mitra under the security of Ramkohan Ray.	273	
Nil	Statement showing the remissions claimed by the farmer of pargana Ghar with the observations and resolutions of the Committee.	273-4	
[Dec. 5 Fort William.]	Proceedings of the Committee on balances due from Collera Mozuffera and Kantunagar.	274-5	
Aug. 5 Fort William.	Letter to the Provincial Council of Revenue at Murshidabad, asking them to intimate the amount credited to the account of the proprietor of the four-anna share of kiamat pargana Kasimbazar on account of sair chakunta since 1179 and also the amount at which the article is rated in the hastobad of taluka Kantunagar, Sonowwar, Bahadurpur, etc.	275-6	
Dec. 5 Calcutta.	Petition from Ram Ray and Ram Ghosh, late farmers of Calcutta pargana, submitting with remarks a revised list of claims for remissions of revenue for the consideration of the Committee.	277-9	
Nil	List of claims for remissions urged by Ram Ray and Ram Ghosh, late Farmers of Calcutta pargana.	280-3	
[Dec. 5 Fort William.]	Resolutions of the Committee on the above claims for remissions of revenue pleaded by Ram Ray and Ram Ghosh.	284-9	290 blank.
Dec. 6 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup> .. ..	291-303	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
Nil	Statement of claims for remission made by Subprasad Basu, Farmer of Husainpur, under the security of Ram Sundar Basu, with the observations and resolutions of the Committee.	291-3	
Nil	Statement of claims for remission made by Basuklal Datta, Farmer of Yusufpur under the security of Madan Datta, with the observations and orders of the Committee.	293-7	
[Dec. 6 Fort William.]	Proceedings of the Committee relating to balances outstanding from Mahabhatpur Bandarkhole and Sukchar.	297-8	

<sup>1</sup>Naib Drwan attends. M. Dawson indisposed. J. Champain employed on the Grand Jury.

Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Dec. 6 Fort William	Minutes of the Committee	294-303	
[Dec. 6 Fort William.]	Proceedings of the Committee relating to balance of revenue due from Anand-narayan Ray, Farmer of seven-anna division of Tamuk.	298-9	
Nil	Statement of claims for remission pleaded by the Vakil of Mahindra Narayan, Zamindar of Supamutha, with the observations and resolutions of the Committee.	300-1	
Nil	Statement of claims for remission made by Bandyanath Ghosh, Farmer of Bazatpur, with the observations and resolutions of the Committee.	301-3	304 blank.
Dec. 8 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	305-14	B. S. and O. C's missing.
Nil	Statement of claims for deduction made by Salehuddin Muhammad Khan, Zamindar of Sayulpur, Khalspur, etc., parganas.	305-6	
[Dec. 8 Fort William.]	Observations and orders of the Committee on the above claims for remission made by Salehuddin Muhammad Khan.	307-9	
[Dec. 8 Fort William.]	Proceedings of the Committee on the question of balances due from hudda Nalua under Hooghly farmed by Ramkrishna.	310-11	
[Dec. 8 Fort William.]	Proceedings of the Committee relating to balances outstanding from hudda Bhatunia, farmed by Ramram Pal.	311-12	
Nil	Account of revenue due from Katkunda, Paighati and Chandihat, farmed by Sambhu Charan Ray, for 1179 to 1183 B.S.	312	
Nil	Statement of remissions claimed by Sambhu Charan Ray with the orders of the Committee.	312-13	
Nil	Account of revenue due from Paighati taluk, farmed by Maheschand Ray, for 1179 to 1183 B.S.	313	
Dec. 9 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>2</sup>	315-27	B. S. and O. C's missing.
[Dec. 9 Fort William.]	Proceedings of the Committee relating to balances due from Husampur, farmed by Hazaratul, for the years 1181 to 1183 B.S.	315	
[Dec. 9 Fort William.]	Proceedings of the Committee relating to balances due from Maihati, zamindari of Gobinda Deb and Krishna Chand, for the years 1179 to 1183 B.S.	315-16	

<sup>1</sup>Diwan attends. M. Dawson indisposed. J. Champain employed on the Grand Jury.

<sup>2</sup>M. Dawson indisposed. Naib Diwan attends.



Date and from.	Nature of documents.	Reference.	Remarks.
Dec. 9 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee	315-27	
Nil	Account of balance due from Mahmudshahi farmed by Santiram Singh under the security of Baranashi Ghosh.	316-17	
Nil	Statement of claims for remission made by Santiram Singh, Farmer of Mahmudshahi, with the observations and orders of the Committee	317-21	
Nil	Statement of claims for remission made by Kabhrasad, Farmer of Mahosadal under the security of Santiram Singh, with the observations and orders of the Committee.	321-4	
Nil	Representation of the Vakil of Kandarpa Das, Farmer of nine-anna division of Tamruk on the subject of balances due to Government for 1180 to 1182 B.S.	424-5	
Nil	Statement of claims for remission made by the Vakil of Kandarpa Das, Farmer of nine-anna division of Tamruk with the observations and orders of the Committee.	326-7	328 blank.
Dec. 10 Fort William.	Minutes of the Committee <sup>1</sup>	329-33	B. S. and O. C.'s missing.
[Dec. 10 Fort William.]	Proceedings of the Committee relating to balances due from Nadia, the zamindari of Raja Krishna Chandra Ray, for 1179, 1182 and 1183 B.S.	329	
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## GLOSSARY.

- Amalnama**—Authority to manage or administer property, an order for possession.
- Amanat**—Deposit, charge, anything held in trust, money deposited in Court.
- Amildar**—A Collector of, or contractor for, the revenue.
- Amin**—A confidential agent, a trustee, a commissioner; applied in Upper India especially to a native officer of Government, employed either in the Revenue Department to take charge of an estate and collect the revenues on account of Government, or to investigate and report their amount; or in the Judicial Department, as a Judge and arbitrator in civil causes.
- Amini**—Relating to an Amin.
- Arak**—Spirit, juice, essence.
- Arzi**—A petition, an address, a memorial, a respectful statement or representation either written or oral.
- Atashbazi**—Fireworks, pyrotechnics.
- Atash-bazi Mahal**—Revenue derived from tax imposed on fireworks or pyrotechnics.
- Baki**—Remainder, balance, arrears, especially of revenue.
- Bakhshi**—Paymaster of the forces.
- Bandh**—A bank, a dyke, a mound for confining water, or forming a roadway over inundated fields boundary of a field or village.
- Bandobast**—Settlement of revenue to be paid by the Zemindar, renter, of farmer to the Government or by the tenant to the Zemindar.
- Barbuni**—Salt produced in the woods and uninhabited lands and worked by the malangis from the parganas.
- Barkandaz**—Match lockman but commonly applied to an armed door-keeper, watchman, guard or escort.
- Baruni**—A Hindu festival in honour of Varuna on the 13th of the dark half of Chait.
- Batwara**—Separation of coparcenary holdings at the desire of some or all the coparceners or the detachment of the share of an individual so as to constitute his share an entirely distinct property, made with the sanction of the revenue authorities; it is also, though lately, applied to the deed or document under which the partition is made.
- Bazar**—Market, mart.
- Bazijama**—Miscellaneous revenue.
- Bil**—A lake, a pond, a swamp, low marshy ground.
- Brahmettar**—Rentfree grant to Brahmans for their support.
- Britti**—A grant of land or other means of support to any one.
- Dyapari**—One who transacts business of any kind, a merchant, dealer, a trader.
- Chakla**—A large division of a country.
- Chalan**—Document sent with goods, treasure, etc., voucher.

**Chaudhuri**—Holder of landed property.

**Chadki**—Act of watching or guarding, etc., station of police or customs, a guard, a watch.

**Chaukidar**—A watchman, a police or custom peon, a village watchman.

**Chaukidari**—Tax levied to defray the cost of town or village watch. The fees or wages paid to the village watchman.

**Chunam**—Lime.

**Dariabadi**—Land recovered from the Sundarbans in Eastern Bengal.

**Daroga**—An Officer or Inspector of police, custom, or excise station.

**Dastak**—Passport.

**Debottar**—Rent-free land granted for the support of a temple or an idol.

**Desi**—Belonging to, born or produced in a country, a native of a country.

**Dihl**—Village.

**Diwan**—The Head Financial Minister, whether of a State or a Province being charged with the collection of revenue, remittance of it to the Imperial Treasury and invested with judicial powers in all Civil (Financial) causes.

**Diwani**—Civil as opposed to criminal. The Office, jurisdiction, emoluments, etc. of a Diwan.

**Faujdar**—Officer under the Mughal Government who was invested with the charges of the police and jurisdiction in all criminal matters.

**Faujdarī**—Criminal.

**Fasli**—Belonging to the harvest, or season when cultivated. New era introduced by Emperor Akbar.

**Fasli raiyat**—A cultivator paying revenue according to the crops he raises.

**Fotadar (Potadar or Poldar)**—A banker, a cash-keeper, a money changer, an officer in public establishments for weighing money and bullion, and examining and valuing coins.

**Ganj**—A mart, a market.

**Ganja**—The hemp plant (*Cannabis sativa*), or according to some authorities, a different species (*Cannabis indica*) according to others, it is applicable to the plant only whilst young.

**Garh**—A fort, a hill fort, a mud fort or one the walls of which are of very thick clay, strengthened by bastions.

**Ghat**—Landing place, steps on the banks of a river, a quay, a wharf where customs are commonly levied. Also a pass through the mountains.

**Goala**—A cowherd, one whose business or caste it is to attend cattle and sell milk.

**Gola**—A store-room, a place where grain or salt is kept for a season.

**Golandaz**—A native artillery man.

**Gumashta**—An agent, a steward, a representative, an officer employed by Zamindars to collect their rents, etc.

**Gurkati**—A tax or cess formerly levied on the salt makers in the Sundarbans by the officers of Government for the privilege of cutting firewood in the jungle.

**Harkara**—A messenger.

- Haghl**—Produce, profit, especially, as a revenue term, the amount derived from the Government share of the produce of the soil and from any other source of taxation or import revenue, tax, duty.
- Hast-e-bud**—A comparative account, showing the present and past produce of an estate.
- Hat**—A market, a movable market, a fair.
- Havell**—A house, a habitation. The tract of country adjacent to a capital town, and originally annexed to it for the supply of the public establishments.
- Havildar**—One holding any office or trust. A native officer of the Indian Army, subordinate to the Subahdar.
- Hazir Zamin**—A surety for the personal appearance of any one when required to attend.
- Hissanama**—A written document of a share of revenue or rent.
- Hudda**—A public post or office.
- Ihtimamdar**—The holder of a trust, the person charged with the realization of a stipulated revenue for a certain district under a Muhammadan Government, a Zamindar, also an agent or deputy of the Zamindar, appointed by him to realize the revenue of any portion of his zamindari.
- Ijaradar**—A farmer of any item of public revenue whether from land, customs or any other source, the renter of a village or estate at a stipulated rate.
- Ijaradari**—Farming, contracting for rent or revenue.
- Jagir**—Conditional or unconditional assignment of land or its rent for a stated term or for the life time of the holder, lapsing on the holder's death to the State, though usually renewed to his heir on payment of a nazarana or fine, sometimes specified to be a hereditary assignment.
- Jaikar**—Profits or rents derived from the water, lakes, ponds or the like, upon a tract of country or an estate with the right of fishing, and of cultivating the beds if dry.
- Jama**—Amount, total in general, but applied especially to the debit or receipt side of an account—revenue assessed.
- Jamabandi**—Total assessment of land revenue due for a year or period of years from an estate.
- Jamrdar**—The Chief or leader of any number of persons, a native subaltern officer, second to the subahdar, and officer of Police, customs or excise, second to the Darogha, a head domestic servant.
- Jama-wasil-baki**—An account showing particulars of the revenue to be paid, the instalments discharged and the arrears due.
- Jangalburi**—Clearing lands of jangals, also applied to a sort of tenure under which waste or forest lands were granted in absolute property to the clearer, free of rent or revenue for a certain time, at the expiration of which such part or parts as were in cultivation were to be liable to a fixed rent and customary imposts.
- Jarib Amin**—An Officer of the Revenue Department whose particular duty is to make survey of lands, assess their values, etc.
- Jhil**—A shallow lake or morass.
- Kabuliyat**—A written agreement.
- Kanungo**—Revenue Officer.

- Karkash**—Salt obtained by solar evaporation.
- Karkun**—A clerk, a writer, a registrar, an inferior revenue officer.
- Karmachari**—An officer appointed by a zamindar or payer of revenue to collect the revenues and arrange the affairs of a village; a factor, a steward.
- Katkina**—An under-farm.
- Katkinadar**—An under-farmer or renter holding his farm under a revenue payer or zamindar.
- Khalari**—A place where salt is manufactured; a salt-bed or pan.
- Khamar**—Cultivated land, land cultivated by strangers—not hereditary or resident cultivators.
- Khas**—Select, eminent, noble; also private, peculiar; as a revenue term it is applied to the management of estates and the collection of the revenue by the officers of the Government, without any intermediate person between them and the cultivator, also to lands held by Zamindars and cultivated by themselves for their own benefit.
- Khas Mahal**—Districts held in the management of the Government.
- Khazana**—The public revenue, the land tax.
- Khazanchi**—A treasurer, a cash keeper.
- Kimat**—A portion.
- Kist**—Instalment of revenue.
- Kistbandi**—Settlement of the instalments of revenue both as to time and amount.
- Lakhiraj**—Rent-free land applied to land exempted for some particular reason from paying any part of the produce to the State.
- Madad-maash**—Grant of means of subsistence, in general; also assignment of revenue for the support of learned or religious Mohammadians, or of benevolent institutions, by the Government.
- Mahal**—Division of a district or estate under the Muhammadan Government, the term was also applied to a head or department of miscellaneous revenue derived from a tax on some particular class of things or persons.
- Mahattran**—Land assigned to religious persons or for religious purposes by Zamindars, etc., also a provision made by the State for persons of the lower castes.
- Malangi**—A salt-maker, a labourer employed in manufacturing salt.
- Malguzari**—Revenue.
- Malzamin**—A surety for the payment of a demand against the baillee.
- Mandal**—A circle, an orbit, a district, a province, a country, the headman of a village.
- Mangan**—Asking, begging, requiring, asking for a loan; also a cess or impost formerly levied to defray the allowance of the public weigher of grain, also an unauthorised exaction by native officers at landing places and customs stations, asking a fee for themselves or the zamindars.
- Mathaut**—Capitation, poll-tax, contribution, impost; an extra cess or tax imposed on the cultivation for some special purpose either by the State or the Zamindar or the principal revenue officer of a district.
- Mauza**—A village or a place.

- Mazkuri Mahal**—A small dependent property, the rent of which is paid through a third person.
- Muchalka**—A written agreement, bond, or deed.
- Mufassal**—Country or a station in the country as opposed to the sadar of principal station or town.
- Muharrir**—An Officer who collects revenue, a clerk, a writer, a scribe.
- Munafa**—The profits of an estate, the net rent.
- Mushahara**—Monthly or other periodical pay or allowance : settling or hiring by the month.
- Mustajir**—Farmer, Renter, holder of lands under a proprietor at a stipulated rate.
- Nadi-Shikast**—Loss of revenue caused by inundation of rivers.
- Naib**—a representative, deputy or substitute.
- Naib Diwan**—Deputy Treasurer or Accountant, Deputy Financial Minister of the province.
- Nala**—Canal.
- Nauka**—Boat.
- Nazir**—An inspector, a supervisor, an officer of the court who is charged with the serving of process or who is sent to take deposition and make enquiry into any breach of the law or peace.
- Nigahban**—A guard, an watchman, under the Muhammadan Government of Bengal, an officer who inspected weights and measures and affixed his seal to those which were correct.
- Noabad (Correctly Nouabad)**—Recently settled or cultivated lands. In Chittagong the term is applied to certain classes of lands not included in the original settlement of the district.
- Parbani**—Fee exacted for the performance of religious or other ceremonies, an impost formerly levied on raiyats by Zamindars to defray the cost of religious ceremonies and festivities celebrated by the latter.
- Pargana**—A district, a province.
- Parwana**—A written precept or command.
- Pat**—A written paper, a bill, a draft on a banker, a promissory note or engagement to pay a sum of money at a stipulated time.
- Patitabad**—A tenure under which waste lands were held on favourable terms on condition of bringing them under cultivation.
- Patni (Pattani)**—A tenure by which the occupant holds of a zamindar a portion of the zamindari in perpetuity, with the right of hereditary succession, and of letting or settling the whole or part as long as a stipulated amount of rent paid to the Zamindar, who retains the power of sale for arrears and is entitled to a regular fee or fine upon any transfer.
- Patta**—Deed of lease.
- Pattadar**—One who holds a lease or engagement for his lands.
- Pattanavis**—A writer of a deed of lease.
- Peshkar**—A subordinate revenue officer : in Bengal the native officer in a Judge's or Collector's office, next in rank to the Sariahtadar.
- Poddar**—A money changer or teller under a Shorff.



**Pul**—Bridge, embankment.

**Pulbandi**—Keeping bridges and embankments, etc., in repair.

**Punyaha**—The day on which the rent or revenue for the ensuing year is settled, or on which the first instalment is paid.

**Quazi**—Civil Judge, usually of towns, during the time of Muhammadan Government.

**Rawana**—Permit or passport.

**Sadar**—The highest or foremost of anything: the chief seat of Government, the presidency as opposed for the provinces or mufassal; but the term is most usually applied to denote establishments or individuals employed in the judicial and revenue administration of the State.

**Sair**—Revenue accruing to Government, in addition to the land-tax from a variety of imposts, as customs, transit duties, licenses, fees, house-tax, market-tax, etc.

**Sair Chalanta**—Transit duties formerly levied by Zamindars on goods passing through their estates.

**Salami**—A present, a douceur, a gratuity or offering on receiving a lease or settling for the revenue, or on receiving any favour real or implied: a fee or fine levied annually on the holders of rent-free tenures as a quit-rent.

**Sansad**—Deed of grant by the Government to an individual of emoluments, titles, privileges, offices or rights.

**Sarishta**—A record, a register, office, employment: an office of registry or record, it is sometimes, but inaccurately, used for the officer.

**Sarkar**—An Indian servant who keeps accounts or disburses money for his employer: The Government, the State, the supreme authority of administration. Also an extensive division of country containing many parganas, a district, a province.

**Sazawal**—An Indian collector of revenue.

**Shikdar**—A revenue officer or collector appointed either by the Government or a Zamindar to collect the revenue from a small tract of country, or from an estate: under the Mogul Government it was sometimes applied to the Chief Financial Officer of a province or to the Viceroy in his financial capacity.

**Shradh**—An obsequial ceremony in which food and water are offered to the deceased ancestors of the sacrificer, or to the Pitris or manes collectively: these ceremonies are observed on occasions of rejoicing as well as of mourning.

**Surat-i-hal**—A representation or report of the facts and circumstances of a transaction whether by an individual before witnesses or by a subordinate to a superior officer: an inquest.

**Takavi**—Advances of money made by the Government to the cultivators at the time of sowing in bad seasons, etc.

**Talab-Chitthi**—A warrant, a summons, a writ, a written demand for arrears of rent.

**Taluk**—An estate smaller than a Zamindari.

**Talukdar**—Holder of a Taluk.

**Talukdari**—The tenure, office or estate of a Talukdar.

**Tappa**—A small tract or division of country smaller than a Pargana but comprising one or more villages.

**Tarai**—A subdivision of a Pargana.

**Tauzi**—A revenue account showing under the name of each payer of revenue the total amount as it falls due by monthly instalments, the portion actually paid and the balance outstanding

**Thana**—A station, a military post, a police-station.

**Thanadar**—An officer in charge of the thana, a petty police officer subordinate to a daroga

**Thika**—Hire, fare, fixed price, contract for work, a farm of cultivation, a lease, a farm of salt works paying either in money or a given return of salt

**Thikadar**—A farmer, a lease-holder, a middleman, one who receives the rents from the cultivators and pays a stipulated amount to the proprietor

**Topkhana**—An arsenal, an artillery park, a foundry for cannon, a place where military stores are kept

**Tutal**—A kind of salt

**Vakil**—A representative, an agent, a pleader

**Vilayati**—The name of an era current in Orissa

**Wasil**—Joined, connected, attached, realized as a revenue term it implies the amount of revenue collected

**Zamin**—Earth, land, ground, soil, etc.

**Zamindari**—The office and rights of a Zamindar, the tenure of a zamindar whether individual or coparcenary



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